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CHURCH DEDICATED.

The Methodist Church at Milesburg Consecrated to the Lord.

BISHOP THOMAS BOWMAN PRESIDES

The Services Were Held Sunday Morning and Evening and Were Beautiful and Appropriate—Presiding Elder D. S. Monroe and Rev. W. A. Stephens and President E. W. Gray, of Dickinson Seminary Assist the Bishop.

CHURCH CROWDED TO OVERFLOWING

Sunday was a day long to be remembered by the kind people of Milesburg, especially, those of the Methodist Episcopal church for it commemorates the dedication of their beautiful brick edifice.

Early in the spring of '96 Rev. King the pastor of this beautiful church started the ball a rolling, in a good many ways he was discouraged by the people and was told it could not be done, but he like an apostle of old clung to it, and worked hard and now he sees the result of his labors.

The church will comfortably seat nearly nine hundred people. The interior is beautifully frescoed, with bright and attractive colors and makes a warm and welcome appearance. A large brass chandelier extends from the center of the ceiling holding about twenty-five, forty candle power lamps, which light the church up in excellent style. And then they have such nice sociable people in that church, they never think of going home without speaking and shaking hands with one another. It is not always the light from the lamp that shines the brightest, but the light of the Master makes a more radiant light.

The morning services began with a choice selection by the choir, which was led by Mr. Lyman Eddy. Dr. Stevens, of the Methodist church of Bellefonte, Dr. Monroe, of Altoona, Dr. E. J. Gray, President of the Dickinson Seminary at Williamsport, assisted Bishop Bowman in the service. They raised a little over a thousand dollars in the morning, so they didn't dedicate this tabernacle until in the evening, The services in the evening began by the large and splendid choir rendering some excellent music. Bishop Thomas Bowman made an earnest prayer after which every one joined in and sang that beautiful old hymn. "I'll Love to tell the story." They sang it with so much enthusiasm, that it seemed to fill every one in the church with spiritual power from on high, Dr. E. J. Gray then preached an excellent sermon.

He is a man chosen of God, and has all his life been an earnest worker for the Master after his sermon, he began to ask for more money and kept on asking until they had two thousand dollars, then he let up on the people and thanked them kindly for their help and assistance. One of the largest contributors was Mr. Lew Bullock, who gave two hundred and five dollars, this giving of his will not come a miss to him. After the desired amount had been raised Bishop Bowman with appropriate ceremony dedicated this beautiful temple to God,

The Milesburg church is one of the oldest in the county and dates back to 1818. The first service were held in a blacksmith shop, later in a barn and then the school house, and the first church was erected in 1845, it being the edifice in which the congregation worshiped until the present time. Two years ago a movement was started for the erection of a new church and a committee appointed of which the pastor was the official head. Rev. King at once went to work and now has completed one of the prettiest and most substantial homes for his flock to be found in this part of the state. It is built of brick, Gothic style of architecture, The main auditorium is 40x50 feet with a chapel 26x58 feet, attached, which can be thrown into the main room by folding doors, the whole capable of seating comfortably 900 people. The corner stone of the new church was laid August 2 of last year. The present membership is about 225, with forty probationers. The Sunday school also numbers more than 250 scholars. The congregation, although almost entirely made up of people not well off in this world's goods, has an unbroken record for paying in full its share for pastoral support and all benevolent objects.

Rev. King, the pastor, is a native of Cameron county, and has been engaged in the ministry seventeen years. This is the third church he has been instrumental in building—one at Penzette and the other at Liberty, Tioga county. The first was a $7,000 structure, the second $5,000, and the church dedicated Sunday cost $6,600.

BLOOMSBURG DEFEATED.

State College With a Hard Struggle Won The Game on Saturday.

The prettiest game of football seen on the State College Field this season was played by the P. S. C. team and the strong Bloomsburg Normal team on Saturday.

The game was called at 2:30 p. m. State won the toss and chose the west goal with the wind at their backs.

Normal kicked off to State's 15 yd. line and State advanced it 20 yd. After a few rushes State fumbled and Normal secured the ball and advanced it to the 30 yd. line, where Aldinger tried for a goal and failed State brought it to the 25 yd. line and kicked to Fox who advanced the ball to the center of the field. Normal then by a number of fierce tackle rushes, advanced the ball to within 20 yds. of the goal. State then secured the ball on a fumble; and calling back their big guard, Randolph, by a series of fierce rushes landed the ball in the centre of the field where they fumbled and Bray fell on the ball Normal then gave the ball to Smethers, who took it for again of 15 yds. Fox then butted the centre and fumbled! State secured the ball, and with the quarter-back kick, advanced the ball 15 yds. Curtin then took the ball around left end for a gain. State then tried for a goal from the field and falled. Normal brought the ball to the 25 yd. line and kicked, State returned the ball and Fox made a beautiful fair catch. Normal took the ball and punted State returned the ball to Normal's 10 yard line and got it again. State again tried for a goal from the field and Mac Guffie blocked the kick, and through Derr's slowness Cure secured the ball and carried it over the line for a touch-down. They kicked a very easy goal; Time 22 minutes. Normal kicked off to State's 10 yard line. State lost the ball on downs and Normal had the ball on State's 10 yard line when time was called.

In the second half State kicked a dribble and a State man got the ball and by a series of fierce rushes State carried it to within 1 foot of Normal's goal, where Normal stood like a stonewall and got the ball on downs. Butts with good head-work got 5 yards for interference with center. Fox and Smethers by fierce bucking of the line, aided by MacGuffie's fine interference and the fine line opening in the center by Bray, Butts and Lanbach, succeeded in carrying the ball to the center, of the field. Fox lost the ball going through the Centre and State by a fake end play took the ball to Normal's 15 yd. line, where Randolph carried it over for a touchdown No goal. Time 18 minutes. Score State 10, Normal 0. Normal kicked off to State's 5 yard line, State punted and Fox made a fair catch. Aldinger tried for a goal from the 60 yard line which came close, State kicked from the 25 yard line to the center and the ball remained there until time was called.

State's work was replete with sensational plays, and that of Scholl, Randolph, and Cure was especially noticeable. Their ends did some fine running down the field on kicks. The game was well conducted and free from wrangling.

The Normal boys by their gentlemanly conduct won the good-will of the State people and it is the desire of these people that the Normal boys may play there again.

The Normal boys were loud in their praise of the fine treatment accorded them by the management and the College people.

STATE	LINE UP	NORMAL
Diehl (Rawn)	R. E.	Burns
Cartwright	R. T.	Keefer
Clapper	R. G.	Laubach
Murry (Gore)	6	Butts
Randolph	L. G.	Bray
Scholl	L. T.	Wildoner
Ruble	L. E.	Derr
Heckel	Q. B.	Aldinger
Curtin (Capt.)	L. H. B.	MacGuffie
Cure (Fulton)	R. H. B.	Smethers. (Capt.)
McChesney	F. B.	Fox

Referee, Leate, Umpire Atherton, Timekeepers Carrier and Snyder. Linesmen, Thomas and Hoke. Halves 25 minutes each.

Burned to a Crisp.

BETHANY, Mo., November 21.—James Barker and Elmer Fruit, a young men of prominent local families, were burned to a crisp in a fire that destroyed Blackburn Brothers' livery barn early this morning. Two comrades tried to rescue them and were nearly suffocated. It is said the fire started from a lantern by which the victims were playing cards.

The Luetgert Case.

CHICAGO, November 21.—The Luetgert case will be called for a second trial tomorrow morning, in Judge Horton's court. The state will announce its readiness to proceed but it is probable that Attorney Phalen for the defense will ask for a continuance or a change of venne.

PELAGIC SEALING.

In This Case Uncle Sam Bows His Knee to John Bull.

THAT BEHRING SEA TROUBLE

In Order to Have No Words It Is Understood We Will Stop Sealing in Waters Which Belong to this Country.

WE ALL MAY BE HAPPY YET

WASHINGTON, November 22.—One of the most important features of the Behring sea negotiations not heretofore disclosed is that in the event that Great Britain and Canada consent to a suspension of pelagic sealing for one year, the United States at the same time will agree to a suspension of all killing of seals for one year on the Pribilof islands, constituting the American seal possessions in the Behring sea. As the islands are a part of the United States territory no question has ever arisen as to the right of the United States to do as it chose as to the seals while on land and within three miles of the shore, the three miles being a part of the islands according to international law. During the recent negotiations the Canadians took the ground that if any suspension was to occur it would be inequitable to ask them to suspend sealing in the outer waters, while at the same time the United States persisted in sealing in the inner waters and on land. The contention of the United States was primarily for the suspension of pelagic sealing, but under the exigency of the case it was felt that if a suspension of pelagic sealing could be secured it would be reasonable to concede a similar suspension within our own territory. It was in this form that the final proposition took shape. The American proposition includes the Pribilof islands in the proposed one year suspension, so that if Canada agrees to the suspension it will apply to those islands as well as to the high seas. The proposition follows the recommendation of the Paris court of arbitration, which suggests a temporary suspension of sealing on land and sea.

This brings up the question of the lease of the North American Commercial company, giving it the exclusive right to take seals on the Pribilof islands. The lease was made in 1890 for a term of twenty years. Under this lease the company has taken about 16,000 seals annually on the islands. The lease stipulated that not more than 60,000 should be taken in 1891, and also provided that no more seals should be killed annually than was authorized by the secretary of the treasury. As the catch has been far short of the expected 60,000, a question has arisen as to the obligation of the company to have its rental reduced pro rata. Attorney General Miller gave an opinion in favor of the reduction; Secretary Olney, when attorney general, gave an opinion against it. By mutual consent a test case was made up and is now pending in the United States supreme court. The lease provides for a rental of $60,000 a year, also $7.-62½ for each seal skin taken and shipped from the islands and certain tax payments and accommodations for the natives.

In the event of an agreement between the United States, Great Britian and Canada the rights of the company to take seals necessarily would terminate for a year. It is said the right of eminent domain gives the government authority for vacating the lease for this period without reference to the wishes of the company. But aside from this it is understood that the company would not stand on any technical rights, but would regard the concessions granted by Canada of such great advantage in the preservation of the seals as to warrant a suspension on the Pribilof islands during the stipulated year.

Lady Tennyson.

From the November Atlantic.

In 1830 on a path in a wood at Somersby. Tennyson came unexpectedly upon a slender, beautiful girl of 17, and impulsively said to her. "Are you a dryad or an oread wandering here?" Six years later he met Emily Sellwood again, on the occasion of the marriage of his brother Charles to her youngest sister. The friendship ripened into love but for lack of means the marriage did not take place until June, 1850, the month in which "In Memoriam" was published. The cake and dresses came too late, and the wedding was so quiet that Tennyson declared that it was the nicest wedding he had ever attended. Of his wife he said, many years later, "The peace of God came into my life before the altar when I wedded her."

Of this marriage the son writes: "It was she who became my father's adviser in literary matters. I am proud of her intellect,' he wrote. With her he always discussed what he was working at; he transcribed his poems; to her, and to no one else, he referred for a final criticism before publishing. She, with her 'tender, spiritual nature' and instinctive nobility of thought, was always by his side, a ready cheerful, courageous, wise, and sympathetic counselor. It was she who shielded his sensitive spirit from the annoyances and trials of life, answering, for example, the innumerable letters addressed to him from all parts of the world. By her quiet sense of humor, by her selfishdevotion, by her faith as clear as the heights of the June-blue heaven,' she helped him also to the utmost in the hours of his depression and his sorrow; and to her he wrote two of the most beautiful of his shorter lyrics, 'Dear, Near and True,' and the dedicatory lines which prefaced his last volume, 'The Death of Oenone.''

A Murder Stopped the Feast.

NEW YORK, November 21.—A murder broke up the wedding feast at the marriage of Isaac Goldstein to Kate Silverstein to-night in the flat of Vetta Gorden, in a tenement house on Henry street. Charles Schapiero appeared at the festivities armed with a revolver, shot Louis Lieberman in the abdomen, inflicting a wound from which Leiberman died shortly afterward, and he would have killed Lieberman's son, Meyer, had not two detectives arrived in time to save him. Schapiero was arrested. Miss Gordon told the police that she had refused to marry Schapiero because he wanted her to work after the marriage. Schapiero is a swarthy Hebrew of 24 years, yet he was able to earn only $1 a week.

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To buy and reproduce famous paintings involves an expenditure that could hardly be borne unless, as in the case of THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, the enterprise is sustained by the approval of more than five hundred thousand subscribers. THE COMPANION'S Souvenir Calendar for 1898, a series of charming figure-pieces, faithfully copied in colors and embossed in gold, is recognized as one of the richest and most costly examples of this form of art. Yet every new subscriber receives it without additional charge. Moreover, the paper is sent free to new subscribers every week from the time the subscription is received until January, 1898, and then for a full year to January, 1899.

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IN THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

Many Important Cases Disposed of.

A HEAVY SENTENCE FOR GILHAM

Five Years and Four Months In the Western Penitentiary for Attempting to Kill His Wife—A Full Report of the Weeks Proceedings From our Special Correspondent W. Harrisson Walker, Esq.

COURT ADJOURNS UNTIL FRIDAY

The regular term of court opened Monday Nov. 22, 9 o'clock a. m., at which time the general line of business indulged in at th opening of the regular term of court took place. The members of the bar presented many and various petitions to the court, after which the court instructed the "crier" to make proclamation for the constables of the several boroughs and townships of the county to make their regular returns.

The names of the men selected as grand jurors were then called, at which time they came into the box and were given the "charge" by His Honor, Jno. G. Love. Daniel H. Rote of Haines township, jeweler, was sworn in as "foreman."

There being no criminal cases ready for trial, and many of the witnesses who were subpoened in the civil suits had not yet arrived, the court adjourned until 2 p. m.

Court called at 2 p. m., with Judge Love and Associate Judge Faulkner on the bench.

The cases then reported to have been settled are the following: John Watson vs. Charles E. Murray and Lot. M. Jones, trading as Murray, Jones & Co.; Harrisburg Boot and Shoe Mf'g Co. vs. Louis Doll and Geo. Doll, trading as Louis Doll & Son; C. C. Looee vs. J. S. Hauseman and Wm. Colyer; W. H. Strohecker vs. George Wahlfort and wife; R. J. Schadd & Bro. vs. H. H. Schreyer and Samuel Shefler, trading as Schreyer & Shaeffer. Nonsuit was entered in case of Geo. C. Pifer vs. J. B. Archey.

The case of L. A. Schaefler vs. J. H. Reifsnyder was withdrawn from the list for the reason that the only question in the same was a question of law for the court, and was agreed by and between Attorneys Meyer and Fortney & Walker, to be submitted and argued before the court as a "case slated."

The grand jury not having as yet returned any "true bills," the case of A. F. Harter vs. G. P. Garrett was called. This action was brought to recover $20, the amount claimed to be due to the plaintiff from the defendant. It was alleged that Clark Gramley acted as the agent of the plaintiff and therefore no recovery could be had. Verdict of the jury in this case was $20.75 in favor of the plaintiff.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. Edward Woodring was then called. He was indicted for the crime of "larceny." Many of our readers will remember very distinctly the sensation in this town some time in the month of September in reference to the stealing of a bicycle from Mr. H. J. Goss in Philpsburg and of the cattle from Jacob Woodring in Bald Eagle Valley. The defendant pleaded "not guilty" to the charges preferred, but upon hearing the testimony of several reputable citizens of Philipsburg and Bellefonte he at once changed his plea from that of "not guilty" to that of "guilty" to the charges alleged in the two indictments.

The grand jury then returned several indictments. They ignored the one of the Commonwealth vs. James Shilling on the charge of adultery and placed the costs on Maggie Bloom, the prosecutrix. Also the case of Commonwealth vs. Clara Frank, same charge, and placed the costs on Maggie Bloom, prosecutrix.

TUESDAY 9 A. M.—Case of Clark Gramley vs A. F. Harter was continued from last evening. This was an action to recover the amount or balance due on settlement. Verdict rendered by the jury in favor of the plaintiff and against A. F. Harter for sum of $62.50.

Next case called was that of J. H. Reifsnyder vs. J. A. McClain. This was an action to recover the amount due the plaintiff on a promissory note. Verdict in favor of J. H. Reifsnyder for $89.86.

The grand jury returned a true bill in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Samuel Gillham who was charged with assault and battery with intent to kill.

TUESDAY 2 P. M.—The case of Daniel Long vs The C. R. R. Co, of Pa., was taken up. This was an action for damages for a steer that was killed by the defendant company. Verdict favor of plaintiff, $18.00.

The case of Commonwealth vs Daniel Murphey for assault and battery with intent etc., was ignored by the Grand Jury and costs placed upon the County.

WEDNESDAY 9 A. M.—The cases of Commonwealth vs Joseph Casseleberry was resumed. The defendant was indicted for embezzling the taxes collected by him as the Collector of Howard township in 92, 93 and 1894, suit was not brought within the statutory period and therefore no conviction could be had on the charges preferred.

It was deemed unneccessary, by the court to hear any evidence on part of the defence, at which time the attorney interested in the case argued to the jury the advisability of placing costs. It was not long after the charge of the court, until the jury returned with a verdict of "Not Guilty" and costs equally divided between the defendant and J. K. Leathers and J. H. Pletcher prosecutors.

A voluntary non suit was entered in the case of Margaret Barethalmew vs. the C. R. R. of Pa.

Commonwealth vs. Samuel Gillham assault upon his wife with intent to kill, was brought before the court, and was quickly disposed of. Gillham made a rash statement which did'nt amount to anything. Both sides of the case was heard, and this is the sentence the Judge imposed upon Gillham. Fine $1,00 costs of prosecution, 5 years 4 months in the western penitentiary, separate and solitary confinement at labor.

Court adjourned until 2 p. m.

TUESDAY A. M.—The indictment of Commonwealth vs. Jesse Wert, Austin Wert and Seymour Royer for illegal fishing was quashed, for the reason that the justice committed said defendants to jail for the non-payment of fine, &c. Defendants discharged.

WEDNESDAY 2 P. M.—Case of Geo. H. Gobble vs. The C. R. R. of Pa., was first called. This was an action against defendant, company, for the recovery of value of five hogs killed several months ago. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for the sum of $32.50, subject to question of law reserved for the court.

The case of Geo. T. Hyatt vs. The C. R. R. of Pa., was then called. This was also an action to recover the value of a brood sow. Verdict was confessed in favor of plaintiff in the sum of $19.00.

The cases of Wm. Singer vs. P. B. Crider for professional services, was the last case on the list, and as no defense was made and in fact no one appeared on part of defendant, judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiff in the sum of $20.00. Court then adjourned until Friday morning at 9 a. m.

China Not Notified.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 19.—Mr. Wu Ting-Fang, the Chinese minister, has received the following official statement from Pekin relative to the seizure of Kiaochan island by Germany:

Upon the killing of German missionaries by bandits in the district of Ku Yeh, in Shantung, a decree was issued, peremptorly commanding the governor of Shantung to order the high officials of that province to take immediate measures for the arrest and punishment of the offenders. On the 15th inst. the governor reported by telegraph of the arrest of four culprits, and this was communicated to the German minister.

"But German warships had, on the 14th, advanced to Kiaochan island, landed troops, and, after occupying all the high ground, gave the garrison forty-eight hours to retire. The German minister did not give the tsungli yamen any notice. On the evening of the 15th a telegram from the minister-superintendent of the northern ports, giving a report of this occurrence occasioned the greatest surprise. China, in view of the friendly relations between the two countries, thereupon ordered the governor of Shantung to keep the garrison under strict control, to withdraw the troops to positions outside the limits of the islands and to enjoin them not to make any move without express instructions."

Harper's Bazar during November will include a special Thanksgiving Number, containing a strong story, entitled "A Stay-at-home Enemy," by Margaret Sutton Briscoe. Among the other features of the month will be the beginning of a series of articles on "Woman's Voice and Speech,', by Ada Stirling; a paper by Eben E. Rexford on "November Work in the Garden;" and contributions by the musical editor on "Current Music in New York." In the departments of fashions, special attention will be given to 'Evening Gowns and Wraps," and to Children's Clothing.

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" "2	Geo E Lamb	Philipsburg
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CONGRESSMAN HOPKINS of Illinois, in a recent talk about Cuba, expressed the opinion "that unless we are absolutely compelled to interfere from motives of humanity, it will be better for us to maintain an absolute neutrality." The fact that Mr. Hopkins' expressions on this subject are being generally commended by the newspapers not only of his own State, but elsewhere, shows a marked change in public sentiment, which a few months ago would have rejected and resented so conservative a view of the duty of the United States in the Cuban matter as thus expressed.

Among the contents of Harper's Magazine for December will be a narrative poem by General Lew. Wallace, entitled "The Wooing of Malkatoon;" articles on 'The Queen's Jubilee," by Richard Harding Davis, and on "George William Curtis at Concord," by George Willis Cooke, and an interesting array of fiction, including stories by Owen Wister, Mary Hartwell Catherwood, Mary Tracy Earle and William McLennan. The number will be bound in an ornamental cover, designed in colors by Kenyon Cox.

Free-traders who expected support for their peculiar views from the English statistician, Mulhall, will be disappointed to know that he has taken pains to point out the fact that the exportations of the United States have increased three times as fast as has her population duriug the protective-tariff period. Mr. Mulhall shows in a recently published article that while the increase in population in the past twenty years has been 58 per cent., the increase in the value of exportations has been 175 per cent., and practically all that under a high protective tariff.

AND now word comes that China is contemplating an abandonment of the silver standard and a falling in line with the progressive nations of of the earth in the adoption of the gold standard. If this thing keeps up much longer, Senator Teller will have no further use for his elaborate argument in which he holds that the United States cannot retain her commercial relations with other parts of the world in competition with the nations having a currency made of a cheaper metal than that upon which ours is based.

MR. BRYAN'S Ohio speeches showed that he is still joined to his idols despite the fact that everybody else is abandoning them.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

from Our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Nov. 22nd, 1897.

No President for years has paid more deference to the opinions of members of his Party that Maj. McKinley does, and no president has ever taken more pains to ascertain the opinions of his callers upon public matters. While there is no question of public importance upon which President McKinley has not a well defined opinion of his own, he invites the freest expression of the opinions of others and is not so self-opinionated as not to be sometimes convinced that his own are erroneous. Just now he takes every opportunity of drawing out the opinions of his callers on matters of which his annual message to Congress will treat. While his message which will be a long one, has been all blocked out, what he hears between now and when the final revising is done may make material difference in portions of it.

If there isn't an arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States before the adjournment of this session of Congress, it will not be the fault of President McKinley, as he intends to send a new treaty to the Senate early in the session, drawn to meet the expressed objections to the one that was rejected by the Senate at the last session.

Representative Dolliver, of Iowa, whose prominence in republican councils makes his opinions upon legislative matters of value, passed through Washington from an Eastern trip, on his way home, where he expects to eat his Thanksgiving dinner. In reply to the question as to whether he thought currency legislation probable at this session of Congress, he said: "I doubt if a bill can be framed that will meet with the approval of both Houses of Congress. It is not unlikely, however, that the House will take up legislation in line with the recommendations of the President's message. These, I take it, will be reasonable and conservative, and strictly along the line of the record and platform of the republican party." Mr. Dolliver says he thinks the early annexation of Hawaii absolutely certain and regards that and the settlement of the Union Pacific railroad debt as among the administration's most creditable work. His opinion of Congress taking the Cuban question up, as advocated by democrats and anti-administration newspapers, is worthy of more than a passing thought. He said: "If the combined wisdom of the executive and the State Department is not equal to solving the Cuban problem, I do not believe it would help matters to throw it into a Congressional joint debate."

Attorney General McKenna is preparing the papers that will be necessary in foreclosure proceedings against the Central Pacific railroad, which will, in January next, owe the U. S. government nearly $53,000,000, so that no time will be lost in case the company defaults, as it is expected it will do. If foreclosure proceedings are taken, they are likely to include the Western Pacific railroad also.

Experts on the cultivation and marketing of the export tobaccos of Kentucky and Tennessee are invited by Secretary Wilson to write what they know on the subject, to be used in a series of tobacco bulletins to be issued by the Department of Agriculture. Accepted contriouutions will be paid for at the rate of $15 a thousand words, and while no length limit is set, it is not desired that any single communication shall exceed ten thousand words.

The conclusion of the members of the Executive Committee of the Indianapolis Financial convention of last winter, which has been holding a monetary conference in Washington for sometime past, not to make their report public untll after President McKinley's message and Secretary Gage's annual report have been submitted to Congress, probably means that the measure which the committee will recommend to Congress will be in the main along the same lines as the financial recommendations that will be made in Secretary Gage's annual report and endorsed by President McKinley. In a statement just issued by this Committee, much more confidence is expressed in the passing of financial legislation by this Congress than there are indications in sight to justify.

President McKinley doesn't believe in the brass band method of announcing in advance what he intends doing; he prefers to allow his acts and accomplishments to speak for themselves. He has done more to maintain our national prestige abroad since the 4th of last March than his predessor did during his full term of four years, and not the least of his accomplishments in that line was securing the release of 27 American citizens from Spanish prisons in Cuba.

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The Search-Light of Publicity is Pleasing Bellefonte People.

Publicity is what the people want.
Let the public speak on the subject.
There has been too much claim—too little proof.
Claims made by strangers are not proof.
Claims endorsed by strangers are not proof.
There is only one kind of proof for a Bellefonte citizen.
The experience of people we know.
When friends and neighbors endorse.
Make public statement of their case.
There can be no question about such evidence.
This is the proof we have,
Which backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.
No other kidney pills, no other kidney remedy
Can produce such proof.

Here is one case of the many we have: Mr. Walter Whippo, of Water street leading Horse-shoer of Bellefonte, says: "I have a good word to say for Doan's Kidney Pills. Last spring, 1897, I was miserable with backache and a lameness across my loins. I know that it was from my kidneys, for I had suffered from it prior to that. Sometimes I could hardly straighten up after bending forward which greatly interfered with my work. I learned about Doan's Kidney Pills and procured them at F. Pott Green's drug store, and began using them. I had taken other medicines and worn plasters but I never had anything act so promptly as Doan's Kidney Pills. I have been quite free from the whole trouble ever since."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

Postal Banks in a Campaign.

In the 6th Illinois district a campaign for congressman is in progress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman Cooke. The sentiment for postal savings banks is so strong in Chicago that both party platforms pledge the candidates to work for them if elected. In a recent speech Henry S. Boutell, the republican candidate, said:

"The people demand that congress at its next session shall provide for the establishment of postal savings banks under the control of the postoffice department, and a measure looking to this end would have my hearty support. Postal savings banks have given satisfaction to the people wherever they have been tried. Their existence in all parts of the country is a constant invitation to thrift and economy, and wherever thrift and economy prevail poverty, ignorance and crime disappear. The establishment of such a system of agencies for the reception of the smallest deposits would be in exact accordance with the principle which should characterize all our legislation—namely, the protection of the weakest. If we protect all."

LATEST NEWS FROM CUBA.

Members of the Conservative Party Disturbing Public Order.

HORRIBLE EPISODES OCCUR DAILY

Brutal Treatment Accorded Reconcentrados
Many of Them Die of Starvation
Small-Pox Raging in Places

ALL HOSPITALS FULL OF SOLDIERS

HAVANA, Nov. 21.—"La Lucha" expresses doubt as to the sincerity of the friendship for Spain professed by the American government cannot prevent the sailing from the ports of that country of expeditions in aid of the insurgents and does not respond in other ways to Spain's efforts to come to favorable terms, it is useless for Spain to maintain friendly relations with America."

Reports from Mantanzas say that the conservatives, having become enraged at the change in the government's policy, are disturbing public order. Ex-Mayor Crespo initiated the disorderly conduct by publicly giving offense to Senor Asmas, the new civil governor. The chief of police followed Crespo's lead by endeavoring to prevent aid being given to the suffering reconcentrados by newspaper correspondents and others. Of the reconcentrados in Matanzas, numbering less than 50,000, 79 died in two days, a large proportion the result of starvation. In Jaruco about 65 per cent. of the deaths are caused by starvation, and the same is true of many other towns. Owing to the lack of proper clothes and of blankets the situation of the reconcentrados is becoming worse as the winter season approaches, despite the efforts made to relieve them. After lying for three days upon the sidewalk in front of a house in Matanzas a poor negro woman who was suffering terribly and was unable to move was carried away by a flood caused by a heavy downfall of rain. A short time afterward her dead body was discovered a few blocks away, and at last reports was still lying in the gutter. A cab driver who was carrying a sick man to a hospital, observing that his passenger was dying, dragged him from his cab, leaving him on the curbstone, where he finally died. A man who was suffering from smallpox was driven by the authorities into the insurgent camp at Ceja del Negro, Pinar del Rio, where threats were made to hang the man if he was not taken away.

Marshal Blanco has appointed 34 new employes at the custom house. Five are native Cubans and the remainder Spaniards and Reformists. Sixty persons employed about the docks and others in various parts of the island have joined the revolutionists, and a number of prisoners at Guines pardoned under the recent proclamation have returned to the insurgents.

Smallpox is ravaging the neighborhood of the insurgent headquarters in Pinar del Rio, and there are in the hospitals in the hills 1,700 persons suffering from the disease. There are only 1,200 armed insurgents in the province, including the bands which have recently entered the province under Mayia Rodriguez and other leaders. The insurgents in Pinar del Rio are abundantly provided with ammunition.

The financial situation of the military administration is bad. The soldiers have not been paid in eight months. There is a scarcity in the meat supply for the hospitals, and in many towns no meat has been obtainable for many days. Gen. Losada said recently that there were 35,000 soldiers in the hospitals in Cuba, and that about 15,000 of this number were not suffering from any disease, but from need of nourishment.

A dispatch from Madrid says that Senor Giberga, deputy to the Spanish Cortes and leader of the new autonomists, is on his way to Cuba, where he will enter the autonomist party upon condition that Senores Montoro, Fernandez de Castro, Cueto and Zayas leave the board of directors of the party, it being asserted that they are too pronouncedly Spanish to succeed in inducing the insurgents to accept autonomy. Senor Jose Galvez will remain chairman of the party.

About 70 of the recent inmates of the Matanzas jail have been stricken with what is believed to be beri beri. Gen. Blanco has called for a public subscription on behalf of the afflicted persons, and has himself subscribed $100.

Scrofulous Humor

Blood in Terrible Condition and All Run Down in Health—Has Become Strong and Healthy.

"I was all run down, blood in terrible condition and I was troubled with a severe scrofulous humor which caused me great suffering. I took medicine for a long time, but received no permanent benefit. At this time I was working in a general store, and I thought I would look over the medicines and see if I could find something that would hit my case. I read an advertisement of Hood's Sarsaparilla and concluded to try it. The first bottle helped me wonderfully and I continued its use until I had taken nine bottles. By this time I felt like a new man, and since then have not been sick a day. I am now strong and healthy and I have such confidence in Hood's Sarsaparilla that I recommend it as the best medicine on earth." JOHN J. LITTLE, Munnsville, N. Y.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1, six for $5. Get Hood's.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable, reliable, beneficial. 25c.

Used Dynamite.

At Muncy early Monday morning thieves broke into the building occupied by the jewelry store and the Muncy Luminary, both of which establishments are owned by T. B. Painter. The Williamsport Times says that the burglars first attempted to enter the building by cutting out one of the panels of an unused door, but were frustrated here by Mr. Painter's desk, which was pushed up against the door. They then went to a window in the rear of the press room and thus got in. The knob of the safe was taken off, dynamite placed in the hole, and the door blown open. About $800 worth of jewelry, including rings, watches, badges and a general jewelry assortment were taken. They also found about one dollar in change in the money drawer. Nothing else was missed in the morning when the Luminary employes came to work, and nothing was broken except a wheel of the press and the safe. The robbery occured near 2 o'clock, as about that time the neighbors heard a loud report, but did not attribute it to an affair such as it proved to be. The work was probably done by professionals as the safe was neatly cracked and everything worked up in a systematic manner. Mr. Painter upon the discovery in the morning immediately notified the police department of all the important cities and towns nearby and also sent a description of the most valuable articles stolen, to the various pawn-brokers.

Stood by His Ship.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 22.—The Spanish steamer Gracia, Captain Echevereria, which arrived here to-day from Pensacola, reports that on November 15, in latitude 48, longitude 35, she spoke the disabled steamer Maylands, Captain Turner, from West Hartlepool for Quebec. An attempt was made to attach a hauser to her, but the bad weather prevailing prevented its accomplishment. Boats were then launched by the Gracia, but Captain Turner and his crew stood by him.

The Maylonds was before reported by the Allan line steamer Norwegian, which arrived at Montreal November 12 and which towed the Maylands 254 miles towards St. Johns, N. F., and then on November 4, in latitude 52.22, longitude 44.12, lost her in a gale and could not find her again.

Human Ingenuity.

Certainly, for the mechanic, human ingenuity has never produced a better liniment than Salvation Oil, which now stands unexcelled for curing his sprains and bruises caused by a fall; or cuts and wounds the result of an accident with his tool or saw. Salvation Oil always kills pain. "Recently, I fell about twenty feet and was very much bruised on my leg and side, but after bathing them with Salvation Oil the bruises soon disappeared. I think Salvation Oil is just the thing for sores and bruises." A. Jacob Rice, 520 Church St., Easton, Pa. Salvation Oil may be bought anywhere for 25 cents. Substitutes offered by dealers may cost less; hence, do less. Salvation Oil, however, never disappoints the user.

For Sale by C. M. Parrish.

In a Bad Position.

GOUVERNEUR, N. Y., November 22.—The United States grand jury at Auburn has indicted Luke Usher, president of the National Bank of Potsdam, which failed on January 25, last. There are eleven counts in the indictment. The allegations charge Usher with misappropriating several hundred thousand dollars. At the time of the suspension of the bank it was believed the trouble was only temporary. Usher has been for years regarded as one of the leading business men of St. Lawrence. He has been a large lumber operator and is interested in the pulp and paper business. He was one of the organizers of the High Falls Sulphite Pulp and Paper company and also of the Pierce-field Paper and Mining company. It is supposed that he borrowed money largely from the bank of which he was president to aid these companies. Usher has not yet been arrested.

Cinnamon Coated Pills.

Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills are coated like a cinnamon drop, very small and delightful to take One pill a dose, 40 in a vial for 10 cents. Their popularity is a whirlwind, sweeping, competitors before it like chaff. No pain, no griping, no inconvenience.—40.

Sold by J. N. & S. Krumrine.

Saved by the Wad of Gum.

Punxsutawney Spirit.

A Punxsutawney girl was out biking the other day with a Punxsutawney young man. They were six miles from home on a country road.

She punctured her tire.

"Alas," said the young man as he dismounted and looked the picture of despair; "I have no repair kit! What shall we do? It is awful!"

Quickly extracting a large wad of chewing gum from her mouth and placing it over the puncture before much of the wind had escaped, the girl said:

"Lend me your handkerchief."

Young Augustus Fitz James handed her his bandana.

Deftly she wound it round the tire over the chewing gum and tied the ends in a hard knot on the inside.

"I am ready," she said, and she mounted her wheel and rode off with a nonchalant air and a fresh wad of gum.

Few Appreciate the DANGER

to which the Expectant Mother is exposed and the foreboding with which she looks forward to the hour of woman's severest trial. All effort should be made to smooth these rugged places in life's pathway for her.

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allays Nervousness, and so assists Nature that the change goes forward in an easy manner, without such violent protest in the way of Nausea, Headache, Etc. Gloomy forebodings, yield to cheerful and hopefui anticipations—she passes through the ordeal quickly and without pain—is left strong and vigorous and enabled to joyously perform the high and holy duties now devolved upon her. Safety to life of both is assured by the use of "Mother's Friend," and the time of recovery shortened.

"I know one lady, the mother of three children, who suffered greatly in the birth of each, who obtained a bottle of 'Mother's Friend' of me before her fourth confinement, and was relieved quickly. All agree that their labor was shorter and less painful." JOHN G. POLHILL, Macon, Ga.

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THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

The First Under the New Law.

The first meeting of the state dental examining board, organized under the act of July 9, 1897, will be held in Philadelphia December 7-10, at which time applicants for state license will be examined. Under the new law all persons desiring to enter upon the practice of dentistry in Pennsylvania must pass the state board examination and receive a license from the dental council. The council is composed of three members—President, Nathan C. Schaeffer, superintendent of public instruction; George G. Groff, M. D., president of the state board of health and vital statistics, and Wilbur F. Litch, D. D. S., president of the Pennsylvania dental society. General James W. Latta, secretary of internal affairs, is secretary of the council, and to him all applications for license should be addressed.

Eczema Relieved in a Day.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment will cure this disgusting skin disease without fail. It will also cure Barber's Itch, Tetter, Salt Rheum, and all skin eruptions. In from three to six nights it will cure Blind, Bleeding, and Itching Piles. One application brings comfort to the most irritating cases. 35 cents.—39.

Sold by J. N. & S. Krumrine.

A Twenty Two Inch Rope.

A mammoth hempen cable has been made at New Castle, England, for the especial purpose of towing the great drydock, recently constructed on the Tyne, and which is to be conveyed under tow across the Atlantic to Havana. The cable is made of white manilla hemp, and is the biggest ever made in England. It weighs nearly five tons, is 22 inches in girth (composed of 2500 threads of hemp) is 240 yards long, and its breaking strain is 180 tons. When this great weight to be towed (between 5,000 and 6,000 tons) is considered, together with the towing steamer's weight at the other end of the rope, it will be at once seen what heavy work depends upon it. It required no less than seventy men to haul up the rope and coil it on the heavy trolley, which was drawn by seven horses. The safe delivery of the dock at Havana will be quite a feat if accomplished. It is expected to take from eighty to one hundred and twenty days, according to the weather.

Victims of a Horse Dealer.

A professed dealer in horses put up at Tom Kessler's hotel in Northumberland the other day and purchased Tom's fast driving nag for $500. He didn't pay any money down, but he had a $3,000 draft, which he intended to get cashed at one of the Sunbury banks, and Tom loaned him $65 for a few hours. He wanted to buy a carload of horses, he gave out, and everyone who brought a horse along sold it to the stranger. On Thursday the horses were to be delivered and paid for, and the town was full of horses. The stranger took a street car for Sunbury to get that $3,000 draft cashed, and that was the last seen of him. Tom Kessler's $65 and various other loans went along. George Kessler was victimized to the extent of $30, and Jacob Baum was the victim of misplaced confidence to the extent of $1.00. The individual gave his name as Doring.

KITTY'S INTERVIEW.

"A lady to see you, sir." Jeremy Grigson used very unparliamentary language, but taking into consideration the fact that his visitor might be close at hand, in compliment to her sex his anathemas were uttered in German.

"Madam," said Jeremy Grigson, with a severe bow, "I have an excellent memory, but I cannot recollect having made your acquaintance on any previous occasion."

"You have an excellent memory? Thanks." She made another note. "May I sit down? I am rather tired."

"Certainly, madam." Jeremy placed a chair for her.

"I am from the Weekly Chatterer," she said. "Can you let me have a photograph to go in with the interview?"

"Never had one taken in my life," said Jeremy. He was not a handsome man, yet there was something in his face better than good looks.

"Not even when you were a baby? Almost anything would do."

"Not even then."

"Allow me one question: What have I done that I should be interviewed?"

"Don't you know that the whole town is talking of your book?"

"I don't know anything about it," he said, savagely, "except that I sold the copywright for twenty pounds, and that the twenty pounds is spent."

She had got hold of an immense fact but she dropped her pencil, and her flippant, aggressive air with it.

"What a shame!" she said; "what a wicked shame. Your publishers will make hundreds and thousands out of that book. It is creating a furore. Such a case should not be possible, and especially when a man really needs the money."

He looked attentively at her for the first time. He had seen already that she was young and pretty; but he noticed now that there was a worn, pinched look about her small, very pretty face. He had seen the same look growing on other faces in Bohemia; it had grown upon his own; and he knew the meaning of it.

"You understand about needing money?" he asked her.

"I should think I do," she answered, sharply. "Do you suppose I should be here now if I didn't?"

"Sometimes people work at a trade because they like it."

"If it were a trade I liked, everything would be different. I aspired to literature once, but I could not even make dry bread by it. Ever since I have been hanging on to the skirts of journalism, and sometimes there is a great deal of mud on them. If you only knew how people treat me now and again when I go to interview them! You may thank your stars and your genius for having placed you above all that, at any rate."

"Are they often as brutal as I was?" he asked, gently. "I am awfully sorry; won't you forgive me?"

"Don't mind about it," she said huskily. "I know very well what I must have seemed to you—an impudent, brazen, bold wretch. I am horribly nervous by nature, and I put all that side on just to cover up the fright, and impress people with the idea that I intend to get any information I want, no matter how reticent they try to be. Often they tell me more than they intend—as you did just now—merely to get rid of me, because they think I am writing down a whole lot that they don't want said about them. I should stand a bad chance if they only knew that I am quite as anxious to get away from them as they are to get away from me.

"If this interview is any object to you," he said, in an awkward, shamefaced way, "I will tell you all you want to know. I am not quite such a churl as I pretended to be. Only—well, I am proud as well as poor, and suppose there is no need to make the details of my poverty public?" He glanced first at the meagre furnishing of the room, and then at his threadbare clothes.

"Oh!" It was actually a little cry of pain. "Do you think so badly of me as that still? I will go now. I wish I had not come."

She turned very white as she rose, and caught at her chair to steady herself.

"For heaven's sake, don't faint!" cried Jeremy, desperately. He made a stride toward her, and, without a word of apology, he caught her by the arm and pushed her back into the chair. "What did you do it for?" he asked, with a great show of indignation. "What is the matter with you?"

"I couldn't help it," she said. "If I had gone on walking I should have been all right, but the short rest finished me. I am very tired, and——" She gave a little gasp, and her eyelids fluttered.

Jeremy dived into a wall cupboard, and came forth with a brandy bottle. There was very little in it, but enough for the purpose. He stood over her in a threatening attitude until she consented to drink a teaspoonful. He tried to insist on a second.

"I cannot, really," she said. "I dare not. It would go to my head at once, because—because——"

Jeremy Grigson knelt down beside her and took her hand.

"Is it because you have had no luncheon?" he asked.

"Yes," she said; and her color began to return. "Do you know how it feels?"

He nodded with sympathetic gravity.

"Been there dozens of times," he said; and he did not let go her hand, neither did she withdraw it. "Possibly you have walked the whole way from the Chatterer's office to this house?"

"I had no choice. This represents my whole fortune until such time as I am paid for the interview."

She pulled three half pence out of her pocket, and showed it to him lying on the worn palm of her little gray glove.

Quite involuntarily he lifted to his lips the hand he was holding. Then she drew it away and tried to return to her former manner.

"Just tell me where you were born," she said, "and how the central idea of your book first occurred to you, and I will go."

"You will do nothing of the kind," said Jeremy, firmly. "I am just going to have my tea—'high tea,' because I am a homely sort of fellow. I will not tell you another word unless you stay and share it with me."

"But I have to write up the interview now at once. It must be put into type to-night."

"Very well. You can do it here while our cutlets are being cooked. You will find plenty of paper, pens and ink on my writing table, such as it is. Here are a few notes for you." He filled half a sheet of paper quickly, in a small, clear hand. "Now I shall leave you for half an hour to your work, if you will solemnly promise me not to run off while I am away."

"I don't want to run off in the very least," she said; and she looked away from him to hide the tears in her eyes. But he saw them all the same.

When he came back he was accompanied by a waiter laden with material for a feast brought from the nearest restaurant, and he had letters in his hand, because he had encountered the evening postman on the doorstep.

She wanted to help him to spread the tablecloth and arrange the food, but he said it would make him ill if he did not wait on himself, because he was so used to doing it. So she read her manuscript aloud to him instead, and he criticised it as he stumbled about with plates, knives and forks.

They took their meal together in merry, picnic fashion, like children who had known each other all their lives, and when hunger was satisfied they exchanged some further confidences. They were both alone in the world, both dependent on their pens, although in vastly different lines, and they were both young, notwithstanding the fact that Jeremy's hair had a sprinkling of gray in it. Her name was Kitty, and he told her that had been his mother's name. She was very glad, although she scarcely knew why.

"I have several literary irons in the fire," he said, presently, "and those letters look like business. May I open them? Thanks. Then, if the news is good, you will be the first to congratulate me; and if it is bad, it will be some consolation to hear you say, 'Poor dev'—I beg your pardon, I mean 'poor fellow.' I have not spoken to a lady for three years."

He opened the first letter.

"Good," he said. "The Tip-Top Magazine accepts Mr. Grigson's serial, the first instalment of which will appear next month. That manuscript has been lying at the office of the Tip-Top for six months, and I have written about three times without being able to elicit a reply."

"Nothing succeeds like success," said Kitty "Open the next."

He did so.

"Still better!" he exclaimed. "I applied for a post just vacant on the staff of the Pulverizer. It means three hundred a year for a weekly column of criticism. The last man was a great swell, and he gave it up because one of his own books was smashed to atoms by mistake in another part of the paper. Well, I have got the post."

"Splendid!" she cried. Now the last one."

"Best of all!" he cried, as he glanced through it. "Because it shows human nature in an agreeable light. My publishers inclose a check for two hundred pounds in consideration of the phenomenal success of 'The Book,' and they will be happy to allow me to make my own terms for the next one. Kitty, I am waiting to be congratulated."

He had called her by her Christian name quite unconsciously.

She sprang to her feet, blushing furiously, and began hunting for her gloves.

"I can't say half I mean about it," she stammered. "Wont you take for granted how glad I am? I must go now; the evenings are long, but they don't last forever. I want to thank you and I don't know how."

"When may I come to see you?" he asked, retaining her hand again.

"Oh, never! I live in such a wretched place, and you are among the great ones of the world now, you know."

"Of course," he said, coolly, "It doesn't matter in the least whether you give me your address or not, because I am going to escort you home, and then I shall find it out for myself. Are you ashamed to be seen with me? We could stop at a tailor's on the way, but there would be certain drawbacks to that compromise."

"My clothes are infinitely worse than yours," she said, humbly.

"Quite a different case," he assured her. "I believe you would look well dressed in a 'gunny sack.'"

Then they set out together. He did not offer to take a cab. An hour earlier he would have done so, but he was, comparatively speaking, a rich man now, and he dared not run the risk of seeming to patronize her poverty. She understood, and liked him all the better for it.

This was a day to be remembered in both their lives.

Three months later there was a much talked-of little wedding breakfast, at which most of the guests were literary celebrities, but another interviewer "wrote it up" for the Weekly Chatterer.

Jeremy had married Kitty.

THEY WERE BUNCOED.

Two Heiresses and a Celebrated Artist Become Victims

ALLEGED SWINDLER ARRESTED

He is Out on Bail and is Fighting the Efforts Made to Extradite Him—Was a Favorite With the Fair Sex.

THE WAY THE SCHEME WAS WORKED

NEW YORK, November 17.—Three young women, two them heiresses of this city and the other a famous Australian artist temporarily here, are said to be the victims of an alleged swell swindler, Arthur Blair Moody, of New Haven, Conn., who was yesterday arrested in that city. Moody is now out on bail and is fighting the attempt to extradite him to New York. He is 28 years old and has always been a favorite with women. Moody comes of a good family. His father is in the insurance business in New Haven and his mother is a doctor. Moody stopped for a long time at the Holland house and cut quite a dash. When he left the Holland he was $1,000 in debt to Proprietor Baumann for his board. Moody happened to meet the Rev. Dr. De Leon Nicholl, who took a fancy to him and introduced him to Miss Mary Van Buren Vanderpool, who in turn introduced him to her friend, Miss Rosamond H. Owens. Both ladies hold high positions in New York society.

As soon as Moody felt that he had gained the confidence of the women he dined them at the Holland house. There it is alleged he unfolded a great mining scheme. A few days later Moody called on Miss Vanderpool, and said that his partner had told him of a grand opportunity for some subscribed mining stock. One of the men who had put down his name for some of the stock had failed to get the money and although the mayor of New Haven had tried to get in, he (Moody) had managed to get a place for Miss Vanderpool. The latter was delighted, but she did not have the ready money and she recommended her friend Miss Owen. The latter took to the scheme and gave Moody $5,000. That was in March last.

On July 15 Moody went to Miss Owen and said that $1,000 was needed, and she gave him a consolidated 6 per cent gold bond of the St. Paul Minneapolis and Manitoba railroad market value $1,175. She told Moody to dispose of it and return the $175 to her. He gave the bond to Proprietor Baumann, of the Holland house, for a board bill of $1,170, telling him that if the bond was not redeemed in thirty days he might sell. Moody never redeemed it and it was sold. He did not return the $175 to Miss Owen. Later in July Moody went once more to Miss Vanderpool and told her of another splendid opportunity for making money. Miss Vanderpool said she gave Moody a $1,000 United States gold bond without getting any receipt or security for it, and she has not since heard of it.

Meantime Moody had been at work at the Buckingham hotel. There he met Miss Ellis Rowen, an artist in water colors from Australia. She was so impressed with Moody and showed him a set of 150 water color paintings of the flora of Australia, which she said was worth £3,000. Moody broached his latest scheme to the artist and got $450 from her on the security of fifty shares of the stock of his company. Then he wanted more money for the scheme and she let him take the pictures as security. He was to raise £1,500 on them, the pictures to be placed in a safe deposit vault as security. After a time she became anxious and asked for the pictures. He gave them back to her all but thirty and said he did not know where the others were. Then he told her that he could sell the pictures to George Vanderbilt who wanted to decorate his house at Biltmore, N. C. About two months ago he disappeared. He owed Proprietor Baumann a $1,400 board bill when he left. The police happened to hear of the matter and Moody was indicted in the case of Miss Vanderpool's $1,000 bond.

MONEY REGISTERED BY MAIL.

Reasons Why Banks Prefer to Remit By Express.

A novel feature in the shipments of currency to interior points, and particularly to the South and West, by local banks this fall is the great extent to which the registered-mail service is being used for that purpose, instead of the money being shipped by express as was formerly the general custom. The reason for this is the inability of the banks to secure this year, through the Sub-treasury, the benefit of the government contract rates for the expressage. As a result of that the banks have had to pay what are known as bankers' rates to the express companies, which are two or three times as great as the government-contract rates, or ship their money by registered mail.

The course of the Treasury in respect to this matter has been explained from time to time in the Evening Post, so far as any explanations could be obtained. Heretofore the Treasury gladly gave to the banks the privilege of shipping currency at the government-contract rates, or rather, shipped the currency for the banks at the government rates in return for gold deposits. A clause, however, was inserted in the contract with the express company when it was last made by which such privileges should only be afforded to the banks when the Treasury needed gold. The discretion in the matter apparently rests with the Secretary of the Treasury, and he has seemingly decided that the Treasury does not want gold now. Consequently the banks cannot have the benefit of the government-contract rates for expressage, although bankers generally seem to think it would be better for the Treasury always to take gold when it can without loss. The Treasury ruling, however, has not helped the express company very much, because nearly all the country banks to whom money is remitted, and who have to pay the cost of transmission, direct their New York correspondents to ship the money by registered mail, and insure its safe delivery in one or other of the companies which make a specialty of that business.

The cost of postage and insurance is much less than the usual express charges at what are known as bankers' rates. Few New York bankers, however, would remit money in that way, unless they were directed to do so by their correspondents. They would rather ship it by express, even though it cost more to do so, because they consider it the safer way.

If money is lost by an express company during transmission, the loss is promptly made good, whereas, bankers say, it takes a long time, and is a troublesome task, to recover the amount when the money is lost in the mails. The government is not responsible; it only promises to take greater care of a registered package, for which the registration fee of eight cents is charged; it cannot or does not guarantee its delivery or reimbursement in case of loss. The cashier of a large national bank which ships many thousands of dollars every day to its correspondents all over the United States, in speaking of this matter to-day, said:

"The conservative banker still prefers to send money by the well known express companies; but, to save expense, since the government refuses to remit for the banks any longer at government contract rates, the country banks are apparently willing to take the risk of transmission by registered mail, with the guarantee of an insurance company's policy for its safe delivery. Notwithstanding, however, the registration and insurance, the risks of sending large sums of money by mail are very great. A package of currency which is forwarded by the registered mail department of the postal service has no distinctive mark indicating its value; a pencil receipt is given for it just the same as for an ordinary letter or package of merchandise. The package of money is thrown in with packages of merchandise of all sorts, and no more care is taken of it than is taken with a box of shoes or a package of gloves. The registry clerk's receipt is not a document that is as well known or as satisfactory as the receipt of the receiving clerk of an express company, and in case of the loss of the package, the delay in the recovery of the money is interminable.

"For instance, a few years ago a Southern bank ordered from its New York correspondent $20,000 in currency, the money to be sent by registered mail. The package was put, or supposed to have been put, in a certain through pouch, but when the pouch was opened in the Southern postoffice in the presence of the President of the bank, who was anxious about the arrival of the money, the package was not there. Investigation by the postoffice authorities failed to discover its whereabouts, and the insurance company which had issued a policy guaranteeing its safe delivery was no more successful, and it was a long time before the bank was reimbursed for the loss. The inconvenience caused to banks by the non-receipt of money on time could not be estimated. In some cases, as in times of panic, for instance, the delay might be fraught with very serious consequences. A year or so after the loss of the money referred to, other missing articles were traced to a certain dishonest postal employee, and the secret of the missing money package was then solved by his confession.

"On the other hand, the express companies locate missing packages of money or make good the loss promptly, without technicalities or delays. They are responsible, and banks run no risk in shipping by them. Their employees are chosen solely on the ground of ability and trustworthiness, and they are therefore more likely to be accurate and prompt than postal employees, who owe their places more or less to politics, notwithstanding the civil-service examination. While it is true that by insuring money sent by registered mail there in some guarantee against loss by non-delivery, it is equally true that there is considerable risk of loss if the insurance company stands on technicalities. The slightest informality in the observance of the terms of an open policy issued by the insurance company renders the policy invalid, and would in the case of a missing package cause the loss to fall on the consignor. The technicalities to be observed by a remitting bank in sending money by registered mail when the delivery of the money is insured by one of the local insurance companies are very great compared with the simple but safe methods of the express companies, and unless some new regulations are made by the postal authorities for sending money by registered mail conservative New York banks will certainly prefer to ship by express."

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Was Not Settled Monday.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Nov. 16.—The case against E. A. Van Valkenburg, charged with conspiracy to bribe Representative Weiss to vote for John Wanamaker for United States senator, was not settled yesterday as had been announced. After the case had been presumably disposed of, the previous estimate of costs on which a settlement had been based, was found to be less than it should have been. This morning Mr. Van Valkenburg, his counsel and witnesses for the defendant were in court, as was the district attorney. The latter and a person who is said to represent the one who agreed to pay the bill of costs, were at work on the list. The costs were at first said to be about $1,500, but today's examination increased them to $1,516.12, on which basis the case was officially settled by the district attorney. The money is said to have been handed over to one of the attorneys of the defense by the representative of a prominent state politician and by the attorney turned over to court.

Peruvian Bitters.

LAFAYETTE, IND., Aug., 6 1893

AUNT RACHAEL SPEER;

I have been using your Peruvian Bitters of late for malarial fever that I have not been entirely rid of for the past two years until now. I must say your Bitters beat everything I used it only six weeks and began to improve the first week. I am now well and hearty and feel young again, even now in this very hot weather.

Mabel—Mr. Jones asked me to get in the hammock with him last night What do you think?

Jock—I think you got in.—Princeton Tiger.

The homeliest man in Bellefonte as well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get *free* a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c. and 50c.

Headache and *Neuralgia* cured by Dr. MILES' PAIN PILLS. "One cent a dose."

The man who is blown up by a hidden mine of explosives may have seen things that should have aroused his suspicions, but heedlessly put them aside as of no moment. It is the same with the sickness that ends in death. Insidious disorders of the digestion and bilious spells are passed by as of no moment. In themselves these complaints may not be dangerous, but if neglected their cumulative effect is terrible.

The man who neglects the little disorders that are the signs of approaching ill-health is walking over a hidden mine that may cause his death. The explosion will come in the guise of consumption or some other deadly disease. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures all disorders of the stomach and liver. It cures 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption, bronchitis, asthma, laryngitis, weak lungs, spitting of blood, lingering cough, nasal catarrh and diseases of the air passages. It acts directly on the diseased tissues, driving out all impurities and disease-germs. It is the great flesh-builder, blood-maker and nerve-tonic. There is nothing in the medicine store "just as good."

"Have been in poor health for about seven years," writes Mrs. I. Albert Eakins, of No. 148 Main Street, Dallas, Texas. "Every summer I'd have a bilious attack lasting two weeks, besides headaches all my life, general debility and an inactive liver. I suffered with my bladder and kidneys for five years at least. I could not stand on my feet long at a time until I commenced your treatment. I took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' They have helped me wonderfully. I had a disagreeable drain and irregular periods. I thought I should go insane sometime. I worried about everything: had the blues all the time and did not care to live. Now I am well."

Constipation is a little illness that if neglected builds a big one. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. They never gripe.

Work of a Swindler.

This, taken from the Huntingdon Monitor, is another instance of a person learning by dear bought experience that it is safest to patronize home dealers: A sleek swindler has been fleecing some of the innocent farmers of Hare valley, and Israel Quarry is among the number duped. The individual would visit farm houses, exhibit various kinds of dress and then offer to sell the entire outfit for a certain sum. To further fool his victim he stated that a friend of his, a practical tailor, would be along in a few days, locate temporarily in the valley, and make the goods into suits at the small sum of $2 per suit. His scheme worked like a charm, but it is not known how many persons he fleeced. Mr. Quarry purchased a piece of cloth, which he was told would make twelve suits and one overcoat, and paid for the same $125 in cold cash. Then he awaited the coming of the tailor. The latter never appeared. Mr. Quarry brought his goods to town, took it to a tailor and from him learned that he was the owner of a piece of very cheap goods, out of which five or six suits might be cut, and that the whole thing was not worth $25.

DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S **Favorite Remedy**

The one sure cure for The Kidneys, Liver and Blood

Returning From Chattanooga.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 17.—Gov. Hastings of Pennsylvania and a party of twenty-nine, including Gens. T. J. Stewart G. R. Snowden, John W. Schell and John P. S. Gobin, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, stopped in this city this morning on their way home from Chattanooga. They took breakfast at the Metropolitan hotel and then took the train for Harrisburg.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by all druggists in all parts of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Why Not Over Take Him?

CHICAGO, November 18.—Two policemen have been detailed to guard the residence of P. D. Armour. The reason for the precaution is a rumor from Minneapolis that a speculator who lost money in wheat has gone insane and left Minneapolis with the avowed purpose of killing Armour.

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Orders a Fleet Ready.

LONDON, Nov. 19.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from St. Petersburg says: "Vice Admiral Tyrtoff, Russian minister of marine, has ordered that eleven vessels of the Black Sea squadron be held ready and fully equipped. These ships will include four first-class battleships, three gunboats, three training ships and one transport vessel. This order indicates that the Russian government regards affairs in the East as affording little reason for tranquility."

Dr. David Kennedy's **Favorite Remedy**

CURES ALL KIDNEY, STOMACH AND LIVER TROUBLES.

A Famous Fighting Regiment.

NEW CASTLE, Pa. Nov. 18—The Lawrence county survivors of the Tenth Pennsylvania reserves will hold a meeting in this city December 21, and at the same time a banquet will be given them. There are but six in this city—Messrs. George W. McCracken, George R. Graham, J. A. Andrews, Menzo Beverly and Smith Fulkerson. There were only 42 regiments in the war that lost more in killed and wounded than the Tenth, for less than one-fifth of the original command returned home. There were 1,042 in the regiment when mustered in at Harrisburg. During the three years of service only 41 died of disease; the others from wounds received in battle.

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IT must be a disappointment to those low tariff advocates who were expecting to disturb the political atmosphere with groans about increased prices to find that the net average increase in prices of articles affected by importation is under the Dingley law less than one per cent., while the increased earnings of those employed in the manufacturing industries and in agriculture, which depend largely upon industrial activity, have been far greater than that.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

The Kidneys and Blood

If you want to be well, see to it that your Kidneys and Blood are in a healthy condition. It is an easy matter to learn what state your Kidneys are in. Place some of your urine in a bottle or tumbler, and leave it stand one day and night. A sediment at the bottom shows that you have a dangerous Kidney disease. Pains in the small of the back indicate the same thing. So does a desire to pass water often, particularly at night, and a scalding pain in urinating is still another certain sign.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is what you need. It will cure you surely if you do not delay too long in taking it. Kidney diseases are dangerous, and should not be neglected a single moment.

Read what P. H. KIPP, of Union, N. Y., a prominent member of the G. A. R., says:—"I was troubled with my Kidneys and Urinary Organs and suffered great annoyance day and night, but since using ***Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy*** I have greatly improved, and that dreadful burning sensation has entirely gone. I had on my lip what was called a pipe cancer, which spread 'most across my lip, and was exceeding painful; now that is almost well. I also had severe heart trouble, so that it was difficult to work; that is a great deal better. I have gained nine pounds since I commenced taking the ***Favorite Remedy;*** am greatly benefited in every way, and cannot praise it too much."

Favorite Remedy is a specific for Kidney, Liver and Urinary troubles. In Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, and Skin and Blood Diseases, it has never failed where the directions were followed. It is also a specific for the troubles peculiar to females. All druggists sell it at $1.00 a bottle.

Sample Bottle Free! If you will send your full postoffice address to the DR. DAVID KENNEDY CORPORATION, Rondout, N. Y., and *mention this paper*, we will forward you, prepaid, a free sample bottle of the ***Favorite Remedy,*** together with full directions for its use. You can depend upon this offer being genuine, and should write at once for a free trial bottle.

STATE CAPITAL LETTER.

Compendium of Important News of the Past Week.

FROM AN IMPARTIAL STANDPOINT

A Special Correspondent at Harrisburg Writes on Matters of Much Interest to Citizens of the State, Etc.

OTHER ITEMS OF POLITICAL GOSSIP

HARRISBURG, Nov. 18—The sessions of the national and state granges of the Patrons of Husbandry that have been held the past ten days in this city, were the most interesting in the history of the organization. Plenty of amusement was furnished and our agricultural guests were shown everything of importance in and about Harrisburg. Considerable benefit was derived by the delegates, and business of the most importance transacted.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

At the regular meeting of the state board of health here last Thursday the baleful influences of the Anti-Vaccination league were referred to, and its deplorable efforts to undermine public confidence in the well established value of this preventitive measure strongly condemned. Recognition was also taken of the successful efforts of the Woman's Health Protective association, of Philadelphia, to have passed the law providing for the sanitary inspection of bakeries, bake shops and similar establishments. A list of forty-four complaints was received from localities afflicted with polluted water supplies. A year ago a similar list contained but twenty complaints. The financial secretary reported only nineteen cents in the treasury. The next meeting wi l be held in Lancaster in May.

CHARTERS ISSUED

The following charters were granted at the state department during the week: Alpha Paint and Mineral company, Philadelphia, capital $30,000; Bellwood Coal company, Reade township, capital $6,000; Second Ward Building and Loan association, Philadelphia, capital $1,000,000; Galena Oil company, Franklin, capital $1,000,000; Signal Oil company, Franklin, capital $1,000,000; Babcock Lumber company, Pittsburg, capital $50,000; Keystone Gold Mining company, DuBois, capital $60,000; Ricketts Manufacturing company, Ricketts, capital, $10,000; Flory Manufacturing company, Bangor, capital $100,000; Washington, Westminster and Gettysburg Electric Railroad company, for a 14-mile road from Gettysburg to the state line, capital $400,000; Wyoming and Pond Creek Railroad company, 6-mile road from Sandy Run Junction to White Haven; capital $60,000; Kimberly company, Sharon, capital $1,000; Parkinson Land company, Pittsburg, capital $25,000; Dingley Manufacturing company, Philadelphia, capital $200,000.

GUBERNATORIAL OUTLOOK.

The situation in the gubernatorial struggle is practically unchanged. Stone is very confident and appears to have good grounds for his claim that he will be a middle-of-the-road candidate. There is strong opposition from the east and west, but this fact does not influence him in the least. Politics will be exceedingly warm from now until a year hence.—WILL F. HENDRICKSON, special correspondent of *Altoona Tribune*.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy
CURES ALL KIDNEY, STOMACH AND LIVER TROUBLES.

A New Game Law.

Book agents may be killed from October 1st to September 1st; spring poets from March 1st to June 1st; scandal mongers April 1st to February 1st; umbrella borrewers August 1st to November 1st, and from January 1st to May 1st. While every man who accepts a paper two years but when the bill is presented says, "I never ordered it," may be killed on sight without reserve or relief from valuation of appraisement laws, and buried face downward, without benefits or clergy.

On of Two Ways

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort, The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble, The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kinney, and bladder remedy is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one doller. *You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet. both sent free by mail. Mention REPUBLICAN and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghampton N. Y. the proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

A Fellow Feeling.

"Somehow," remarked Tired Teddy, "I has a feller feelin' fer dem fenders no street cars."

"Why so?" asked Everst Neverwork, yawning behind his tin can.

"Dey refuse so often to work," answered T, T. And the zephyrs continued to percolate through the tree tops.—Cincinnati Tribune.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

An Election in Costa Rico.

WASHINGTON, November 18.—According to official information received at the legation of Costa Rico at Washington, the primary presidential election for the next period, 1896 1902, was held on the 14th, 15th, and 16th insts., amid order and tranquility.

There were two parties, the civilist and the republican. The vote was the largest ever taken in Costa Rico, and the civilist candidate, President Yglesias, obtained a majority of over 23,000 votes.

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes a tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, Callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it *To-day*. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c. in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address. Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed Booklet and sample free Address Sterling Remedy Co Chicago or New York.

Pardon Board's Action.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Nov. 17.—The case of Alexander Berkman, the anarchist, who shot H. C. Frick, was before the pardon board this afternoon. Attorney John Marron argued for a commutation, claiming some of the sentences imposed were excessive. He did not, he said, complain of the first sentence of seven years for attempting Frick's life. At the conclusion of the argument Lieut.-Gov. Lyon announced:

"The board is of the opinion that inasmuch as the first sentence of seven years which is not complained of, has not expired, this application is premature and therefore refuses the application for the present."

Another case before the board was that of Mrs. Kohout, the shoplifter, who was represented by A. C. Robertson, who asked for a reduction of her five years' sentence to three.

James Francis Burke made an earnest plea for executive clemency for Michael F. Maloney, of Pittsburg, now serving a 12-year sentence for murder. The crime was committed at Ross Grove six years ago. Burke's argument of the case gave the impression that Maloney was justified in self defense and the boys previous excellent reputation proved that he was not criminally inclined. Burke also pleaded in behalf of Crossley and Gillis, the two young men who were implicated in the Adams express robberies a few years ago at Pittsburg.

The board of pardons recommended pardons for Albert Gressler, Westmoreland, misdemeanor; Daniel Pool, Philadelphia, burglary; John McMullen, Allegheny, burglary. Pardons refused, Alexander Berkman, Allegheny, felonious assault, etc.; John Adams, Lebanon, larceny; James E. Ritenour, Westmoreland, misdemeanor; A. W. Crossley and C. F. Gillis, Allegheny, larceny; Michael F. Maloney, Allegheny, murder, second degree; Max Vyner, Clinton, attempt to defraud; Albert Blake, Philadelphia, enticing a minor child; Calvin Fry and Peter Klinensmith, Westmoreland, burglary.

Frank Jongrass, Lawrence, murder, was granted a rehearing. He has been under sentence of death since February 22.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15cts. and 25cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

For Odd Fellows.

Odd Fellows in this city and vicinity will be interested in learning that at the semi annual session of the grand lodge in Philadelphia Tuesday it was decided that each indivudual lodge is responsible for twenty five cents dues on April 1 of each year for each member on its books, in compliance with the law for raising funds to maintain orphans' home. Two petitions requesting the privilege of opening an employment agency in connection with the order was referred to the board grand officers with power to act. Twenty five past grands were admitted to member ship. Grand Master Thomas, in his report, said that since the annual session two new lodges have been instituted, three charters surrendered. five Rebekah lodges instituted and four charters surrendered and four district grand masters appointed.

Worms in Children.

Mother Gray's Sweet Worm Powders used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, cure feverishness and destroy worms. At all druggists 25c. Sample FREE, Address, Allen S Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

Two Plucky Girls.

Blanche and Bessie Kocker, of Huntingdon Furnace, narrowly escaped being drowned in the Juniata river a few nights ago. They were driving to Tyrone. Near that place the horse backed over a stone wall into the river 15 feet below. The young women being encumbered with wraps and robes, had a hard struggle to reach shore. Blanche gained land first, and then went back into the water and rescued her sister. Both girls can swim.

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For Infants and Children.

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CANDY CATHARTIC Cascarets CURE CONSTIPATION

REGULATE THE LIVER

10¢ 25¢ 50¢ ALL DRUGGISTS

ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEED to cure any case of constipation. Cascarets are the Ideal Laxative, never grip or gripe, but cause easy natural results. Sample and booklet free. Ad. STERLING REMEDY CO., Chicago, Montreal, Can., or New York. 217.

IT WAS BAD ENOUGH.

Nevertheless This Accident Might Have Been Much Worse.

A PASSENGER TRAIN DERAILED

Three Cars Went Over the Bank of a River, One Falling In—The Other Two Were Consumed By Fire.

ONE PERSON FATALLY INJURED

KANSAS CITY, Mo., November 18.—Train No. 2 on the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis, which left Birmingham last evening for Kansas City, was derailed just west of Wiltford, Ark., this morning. The combination coach, chair and sleeper were both consumed by fire. One passenger was fatally and thirty more or less seriously injured.

The passengers in the burning cars were rescued before the fire had reached its height and but few in those cars were injured. Screams and cries for help were heard on all sides and because of the darkness rescue was difficult. As the flames from the two burning cars became brighter, the rescuers were enabled to work to better advantage. Luckily, not a person was drowned, and it was not long before all had been accounted for and were being cared for as well as possible. The injured were taken to Thayes, Mo., and placed in an hospital.

The train crew escaped injury. The wreck is the first one of a serious nature in the history of the Memphis road and if Mr. Hoover dies, he will, according to the statement of the general passenger agent be the first passenger ever killed while riding on a train on that road.

DR. AGNEW'S HEART CURE.

RELIEVES IN 30 MINUTES.

A MAGICAL LIFE-SAVER.

The most pronounced symptoms of heart disease are palpitation or fluttering of the heart, shortness of breath, weak or irregular pulse, smothering spells at night, pains in region of heart. The brain may be congested, causing headaches, dizziness or vertigo. In short, whenever the heart flutters, aches or palpitates, it is diseased, and if life is valued treatment must be taken. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is the only remedy yet discovered which will always give relief in 30 minutes, and cure absolutely.—6.

Sold by J. N. & S. Krumrine.

WANTED! One Good Agent, and only one, in every locality, to take orders for "THE EARTH GIRDLED, by Rev. T. De Witt Talmage.—rare, radiant and charming with hundreds of new photos—lands, scenes, people and places. The world's wonders as seen and described by the greatest living preacher and orator. Agents are making from $5 to $10 daily. Demand enormous! Big commission; Credit given; Freightage paid; Outfit free. Drop all trash and sell this master book for Holliday Gift purposes, and make $250 per month. Address for outfit and territory.
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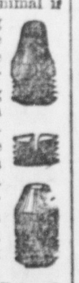

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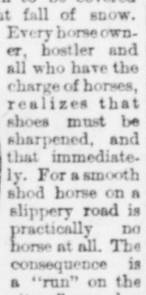

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HE WAS JEERED AND INSULTED

NEW YORK, November 23.—George W. Schiffer, who arrived here to-day on the Atlas line steamer Adirondack from Port Limon, tells a story of alleged outrage that may call for interference by the Washington authorities. Mr. Schiffer is an American citizen and a resident of Buffalo, N. Y. He was superintendent of the gold mine of the Puma Mining company, at Honda, in the United states of Columbia.

Mr. Schiffer says that through ignorance of the customs of the country he failed to turn in a certificate of the quantity of native liquors sold at the mining company's stores. For this offense, he says nine armed soldiers entered his house in the middle of the night and attempted to drag him to jail. He resisted and kept them at bay until morning. Subsequently, Mr. Schiffer says, he was dragged slowly in the fierce sun by the longest route to the court house at Victoria, twenty-five miles distant from Honda. A rope was tied around his neck and he was jeered at, insulted and otherwise ill-treated by the natives. Mr. Schiffer, after his release, instituted with the United States minister at Bogota a suit for $25,000 damages against the Columbian government.

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The Injunction Continued.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 21.—The preliminary injunction secured by the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company against the city of Pittsburg for rejection by council of the company's bid for furnishing fuel has been continued by Judge White, of the county court.

The opinion says that that the committee of councils made no investigation, but simply listened to the labor leaders, who, as the evidence has shown, were influenced by a spirit of revenge toward the coal company or its president, William De Armit, because of the failure of the last summer during the strike by intimidation and unlawful means to induce the miners in the mines of the company to quit work and thus break down their business.

The Numbers of Harper's Weekly during November will contain letters from Tappan Adney, the Weekly's correspondent to the Klondike; an account of the recent fleet manoeuvres, entitled "With the North Atlantic Squadron," with four full-page illustrations, by R. F. Zogbaum; and articles on the Chicago and New York Horse Shows; on "The Zionite Movement" by the Rev. Clifton H. Levi, on "Crespo's Two Monuments;" and on "The Making of a Big Gun." Mr. W. D. Howells will also resume his department of "Life and Letters."

CORRESPONDENCE

Millheim Items.

The hunting party of this place who spent last week in Stone Valley, returned home on Saturday with a doe weighing about 100 pounds.

William Goodhart, of this place, Had Seymore, Roger and Oscar Wert, returned for fishing out of season. They were taken to Bellefonte on Monday.

Mrs. Felix Stieffler of Colyer and Mr. George Royer of Penn Cave, visited H. S. Springer, of this place, on Sunday.

Kirk Kleckner, of this place, but who has been working in the mountain, returned home on Wednesday loaded for snakes; he tore around on the public streets, and would have been in the cooler but took "French leave" just in time to escape arrest.

Mr. Geo. W. Harter, who is working near Laurelton, Union county, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Harter were in town last Saturday. They report the crops out of sight.

Mr. F. I. Davis, of this place, returned home last Friday from a visit to his mother at Thorough Mt., Md., where he spent several weeks.

Frank and Milton Kerr, the former of Bellefonte and the latter of Atlantic City, N. J., are visiting their mother on North street in this place.

Romola.

Just at present we have two hunting parties from here who are hunting in the Allegheny mountains. The one is composed of Geo. Weaver and Sons also Irvin Wagner. The other is Messrs. Wm. Robb and Sons also, Chas. Daley.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a Box Social in the near future.

Typhoid fever is a thing of the past with us, and inview of the fact that there were no deaths and all the patients have recovered speedily. We think that much credit is due, Dr. L. R. Hensyl of Howard.

Mr. Wm. Heverly is spending several days at home "Will" is employed at Gorton Heights and is thinking of moving to that place.

The phonograph and variety showes held in our school houses the past week were poorly attended.

Mr. John Mann Sr., is improving slowly however no hopes are entertained for his complete recovery.

Owing to the darkness Mr. Olonzo Brickley had the misfortune of breaking the shaft in his buggy by running against a hitching post.

Mr. Wm. Robb and Son Jno. spent Sunday in Beech Creek,

Mrs. Annie Dietz and children have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Mann.

The new road over the "Divide" is quite an improvement.

LAUREL

Zion.

The fate of Rip Van Winkle had befallen correspondent. We have at last awakened to the fact that the world is still moving and Zion is after if she does ride a rather low gear.

The farmers are beginning to butcher. We have had no reports in regard to the size of the porkers, but will perhaps have a report for next time.

Rumor says that the post-office will be changed in the near future and that Mr. S. F. Dorman will be the new P. M. Mr. Dorman made an efficient postmaster when in the office before and there is no doubt as to what kind of care it will receive.

Mr. Charles Diehl and Miss Vauge Royer visited friends in Brush valley Sunday.

Mr. Wilbur Lucas, of near Centre Hill, has returned home after working through the summer season with Mr. Joel Royer. It is reported that the young ladies are sorry to see him leave.

Rev. Sechrist, of Howard, has been delivering a very able series of discourses during the past two weeks. There have been no seekers as yet, but all are hoping for the success of the meeting.

Only those who attended the little party at Dr. Phil S. Fisher's on Monday evening can know how enjoyable a time was spent.

Mr. Royer, the teacher of the Zion school, is getting along very nicely and all the pupils seem to be learning. The last month's record shows an enrollment of fifty-four with an average attendance of forty-eight.

"We have met the enemy and they are ours." So say the members of the Zion Football team. The Foresters, after a lot of bragging, met the strong Zion team on Saturday and were defeated by a score of 8 to 2. All Zion was delighted, but of course surprised, as some said that Capt. Fisher of Forest could defeat the whole Zion team if he had only four or five men. Ten played on Forest while Zion was short two. There is some rumor of a running match in the near future. We cannot give the particulars now, but may later.

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A TRUE BEAR STORY.

How a Mother Mistook Bruin for Her Husband.

That truth is often stranger than fiction, and that the improbable frequently happens has again been attested, if the story recently told the writer by Mr. and Mrs. William Watkins at their own home is true and we have no reason to dispute it, although it sounds like a fairy tale.

Some 30 miles from Bellefonte, Pa., on a plateau of the Allegheny mountains, and on the headwaters of Big Sandy run, whose bright sparkling waters flow into the Beech creek near the Cato station of the Beech Creek railroad, there is a small settlement composed of four families in the midst of a wilderness, one of which is that of Mr. and Mrs. Watkins. These settlers have cleared up small patches of land, on which they manage to raise during the summer sufficient vegetables and buckwheat to keep their families during the winter, while the men work in the lumber woods of Potter county. Mr. Robert Watkins of Spring township, and Mr. John Watkins, of Bellefonte, are cousins of William Watkins, residing in the Alleghenies, and through them the occurrence about to be related, was first made known and caused the writer to investigate the story on the grounds of its occurrence.

Mr. William Watkins has a wife and three children, the youngest being 18 months old. On Oct. 14 last, Mrs. Watkins took their youngest child with her to one of the neighbors, with an understanding with her husband that she would not be home until about 9 o'clock that night, and that he was to meet her at the fence of their nearest neighbor where a path leads through the woods to their home. When Mrs. Watkins, on her return home, arrived at the fence, she says she thought her husband was standing on the opposite side waiting for her, when she said: "William take the baby while I get over the fence," and handed the child, as she then thought, to its father who immediately took it and walked away. She then crossed over the fence and started for their home, where she found her husband, who remarked, "Why, Becky, you are home sooner than I expected." She then noted the absence of the child and asked her husband, "Where did you put the baby?" Mr. Watkins replied that "he had not seen the baby, nor had he been out of the house that evening."

Mrs. Watkins then related to him the occurrence that took place at fence after which she took a lantern and her husband his gun and dog, to search for the abducted child. Arriving at the fence at the end of the path, through the woods, they saw "signs of bear," as they both expressed it. The dog took the trail, while the father and mother followed the dog. The dog had trailed the bear about 30 rods into the woods from the path, when he was brought to a halt, and the searchers discovered bruin standing on his hind feet, warding off the dog with his hugh forearms.

The mother flashed the light on the bear and the father shot, hitting the bear in the right eye, and bruin tumbled over dead. Upon going to the dead animal the parents were surprised to hear the cry of their child, and in flashing the light around they saw the head of the child protruding from a bunch of leaves where bruin had covered it up, and was guarding it when he lost his life in defense of his charge.

It was the bear at the fence Mrs. Watkins mistook for her husband in the dark. The child was not the least bit harmed, and its father is having bruin's skin tanned with the hair on, for a rug for the baby.—Williamsport Grit.

BIG FIRE IN ST. LOUIS.

This Time a Distillery Was Destroyed by Flames

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ST. LOUIS, November 25.—The most disastrous fire that has occurred in North St. Louis in a number of years broke out shortly before 5 o'clock this evening in the warehouse of the Ravenswood Distillery Co. The loss will amount to $100,000, with insurance of about 75 per cent.

About 4:30 o'clock two employees were on the fourth floor of the several story warehouse rolling a barrel of alcohol from an upper tier when the bung flew out and a stream of alcohol poured over a lantern. In an instant flames sprang up, seriously burning C. J. Murphy about the face. He is the son of the superintendent. A general alarm was turned in but the work of the firemen was useless, as the 6,000 barrels of alcohol, Bourbon, rye and spirits stored in the building fed the flames and within thirty minutes the entire warehouse was a roaring furnace from cellar to roof. The distillery adjoining was saved. At 7 o'clock the fire was under control. The distillery has not been in operation for some time on account of a full stock on hand and the business at present consisted in shipping orders.

Superintendent Murphy said: 'The warehouse building was built some years ago at a cost of $91,000 and was entirely filled with stock valued at $72,000. The damage to the distillery proper I estimate at about $9,000. I think about 75 per cent was covered by insurance.

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A Miner's Sufferings.

Exposure induced colds, and colds develop into that commonest but most offensive of maladies—Catarrh. Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder cleared the way to the pure gold of good health. Fred Lawrie, of Trail Creek, B. C., writes: "I was a great sufferer from catarrh. I procured Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder; 2 bottles cured me completely. I can highly recommend it."—38.

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Silas Gray Finds His Son.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Nov. 22.—Silas Gray who was recently released on a pardon from the Western penitentiary, where he had been sent for killing Mrs. McCready, has been reunited with his son, whom he had not seen for 18 years. Young Gray was only 4 years old when his father was arrested. He was adopted by a family named Grant and until last week did not know his real name and parentage.

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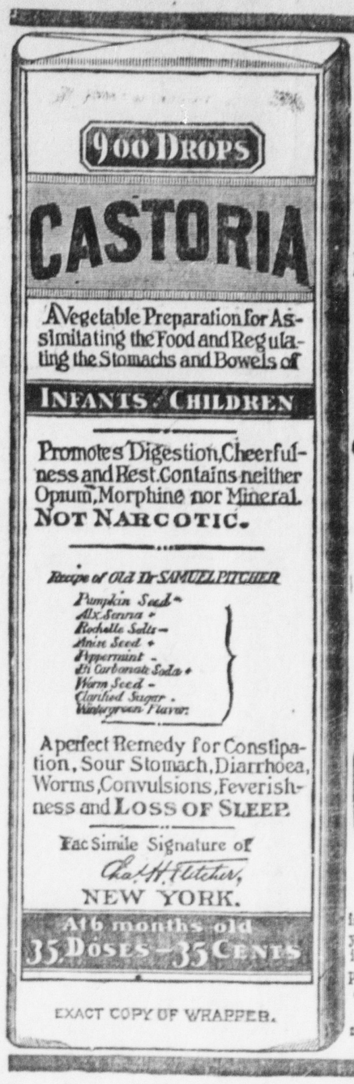
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TRENTON, N. J., November 21.—Patrick Convery, aged 28 years was taken to St. Francis hospital yesterday, suffering from severe burns about the body which he received in a peculiar manner. Convery entered one of the buildings of the New Jersey Steel and Iron company and sought a place to sleep. He climbed into an oven, and later the watchman started a fire in the furnace with which the oven was connected. The heat awoke Convery and his cries attracted the watchman, who released him from a dangerous position. When taken out of the oven Convery fell unconscious to the floor. He will recover.

Professors and Postal Banks.

Simply as an expression from men who are trained to deal with problems and to form their opinions from conviction, the opinions of the fourteen professors of Northwestern university to whom a postal savings bank petition was presented are of interest. Each of them gave his indorsement to the project and apparently took pleasure in doing so. Just as the laboring men approved the plan from a keen personal sense of its need; just as business men have indorsed it as the best available means of promoting contentment and thus forfending agitations unfavorable to steady growth in trade, the college men approve it as a theory sound in the abstract and practicable in its application to the conditions of the time.

The Northwestern university faculty is representative, in its personnel of many educational institutions of high class throughout the country. It is not unreasonable to suppose that an actual test would disclose that the greater part of the educators in the country would take the same view.

In the light of this general conviction among all classes as to the merits of postal banks, how long will it be before the system is regarded by the people not as merely an advantage but as a necessity of modern social and economic conditions?—*Chicago Record.*

Why it Was.

She—How is it you were not at Westend's reception?

He—I stayed away on account of a personal matter.

She—May I ask what it was?

He—Will you promise to keep it secret?

She—Yes.

He—Well they failed to send me an invitation.—Collier's Weekly.

The exportation of manufactures goes steadily on under the Dingley law, despite the assertion of the Democrats that a return of the protective system would reduce our markets for American manufactures abroad. The value of exported manufactures, the product of American workshops, during the first nine months of the present year, amounts to $212,478,810 against $184,807,004 in the corresponding months of last year, while in the month of September, 1897, there was an increase of between one and two million dollars over September of the preceding year.

MR BRYAN is probably thinking now of the blasted furnaces.

The Ways of the Tramp.

Tramps have adopted the plan of breaking into country school houses and spending the night beside comfortable fires. By a recent act of the legislature, penalty for breaking into a school building is a fine of $100 and six months' imprisonment.

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COURT PROCLAMATION—Whereas the Honorable J. G. Love, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th Judicial District, consisting of the county of Centre, and the Honorable Corlis Faulkner, Associate Judge in and for Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date of the 21st day of October, 1897, to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre and to commence on the 3rd Monday of November, being the 15th day of November 1897, and to continue three weeks. Notice is hereby given to the coroner, justice of the peace, aldermen and constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 22th, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Notice is also hereby given and by virtue the precept of the Judges aforesaid, issued as aforesaid, there will be held a regular court of Common Pleas, for the trial of civil cases, beginning on Monday, November 22nd, 1897 at 10 o'clock, upon which all persons summoned as jurors are required to attend.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 21st day of October, in the year of our Lord 1897, and the one hundred and twenty-first year of the independence of the United States. W. M. CRONISTER, Sheriff.

Bellefonte Markets.

Corrected weekly by Gerberich, Hale & Co. The following quotations are taken at m., on Wednesday of each week:

PER BUSHEL		PER TON	
Red Wheat	85c	Ground Plaster	$8.00
Rye	35c	PER BUSHEL	
Corn, shelled	35c	Buckwheat	25c
Corn, ears	30c	Cloverseed	
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Oats, new	20		
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LONDON'S LOSS.

One of the Most Disastrous Fires in History.

MILLIONS GONE UP IN SMOKE

Firemen Called out to Fight a Great Conflagration—No Lives Were Sacraficed to the Fire Fiend.

THE BATTLE FOUGHT AND WON

LONDON, Nov. 19.—One of the most disastrous fires in London's history, since the great fire of 1666, broke out in a large block of buildings lying westward of Aldersgate street and between that thoroughfare and Red Cross street, just after 1 o'clock this afternoon. The flames were fanned by a strong wind, and were fed by highly inflammable stocks of Christmas fancy goods and flimsy dress materials of all descriptions that crowded every floor of the six-story buildings in the old street. Consequently the conflagration gained headway with surprising rapidity, and was soon far beyond any possibility of being checked by the few engines which were early on the spot. For four hours and a half the flames had their own way, and it was only after more than a hundred engines had worked an hour that the chief of the fire brigade sent out the signal that the fire was under control. At 11 o'clock tonight the fire is still the scene of great excitement. Fifty engines are playing on the ruins, wagons are hurrying up coal and tons of water is pouring into the fiery debris.

The scene must occupy the fire brigade for several days, especially in view of the grave danger of the collapse of the shells of the buildings which fall now and again with a loud report. The latest accounts indicate that nearly a hundred warehouses have been destroyed, while the loss will probably exceed £3,000,000 ($15,000,000).

The historic church of St. Giles has been much damaged, the principal damage being to the roof, the old windows, the baptismal font and Milton's statue.

Hamsell street was the scene of the outbreak of the fire, which was due to an explosion in connection with a gas engine on the premises of Waller, Brown & Co., mantle manufacturers, at No. 30 on that thoroughfare.

Their large factory was crowded with girls when the fire broke out and it was instantly the scene of a semi panic, the frightened operatives rushing to the roof of the building and there crossing to other buildings and so effecting their escape, while the flames were pouring out of the basement. In less than a quarter of an hour the flames had enveloped the adjoining warehouse and thence they leaped across the street to an enormous paper warehouse, which was fully alight in less than ten minutes.

By this time it was evident to the firemen that they were face to face with a great disaster and a general alarm was sent out. Then, from all the fire stations even those quite five miles from the scene of the disaster, engines were hurried to the spot and the police gathered about the neighborhood in great force. This display of strength on the part of the police was required, as the crowd, swelling in size every moment, soon amounted to tens of thousands of people and the firemen required every possible freedom of action, as their fight was one of greatest difficulty, owing to the narrowness of the old crooked streets, which are the feature of that part of London, combined with the height of the warehouses, which cut off the firemen from all fair chance of confining the outbreak.

The excitement among the onlookers, who crowded every possible point of view, was very great, as may be judged from the fact that firemen had to be repeatedly rescued by their comrades, who did so by the aid of the fire escapes from buildings which had caught fire after the firemen had mounted to their roofs to fight the flames in adjoining structures.

The rescue of operatives by the firemen, the hurrying of hosts of clerks who were trying to save books and valuable papers from the fire and the rushing here and there of many employes who were attempting to carry to places of safety costly merchandise or other valuables, added to the confusion. The heat was so intense that several firemen were obliged to direct their operations under showers of water slowly poured upon them.

But, in spite of the exertions of the firemen, the fire crept on very steadily until Nicholl square, which is situated at the far end of Hamsell street, was reached.

At a little after 2 o'clock a dozen hose tips, each with a twelve-foot spread, poured water into the blaze from an opposite roof, from the street below and from the burning premises themselves, but it did not seem to have any effect. The water rushed out of the windows and from the ground floors like a waterfall, while the flames leaped higher and higher, as the floors fell in, the place still blazed, a gigantic display of fire and smoke, till the building was completely gutted and the walls keeled over.

The confusion in the street increased as the fire spread. Suddenly there was an explosion of gas meters, sounding like the reports of field guns, followed by a momentary hush.

After that the wild rushing here and there was resumed with renewed energy. Men risked their lives in desperate efforts to save daybooks, ledgers, feathers, jewelry, valuable chinaware, etc. One man actually hazarded his life to fetch his hat and cane, 200 feet of stone work and glass falling at his heels as he emerged from the building.

Several firemen were almost buried in the burning ruins, as front after front of the flaming warehouses fell in, hurling tons of bricks and masonary into the streets, bursting and cutting the fire hose in all directions, while tons of fiery matter were falling in every direction, making it impossible to foresee where the fire would stop, as roof after roof caught fire and window frames all about the scene began to smoke.

As the afternoon wore on, the dense crowds were still further enlarged, until it was estimated that many hundreds of thousands of people surrounded the fire. These excited masses of humanity had to be constantly pressed back by the police, as the area of the fire-swept spot increased in size, an operation which became more and more difficult as the owners and employes of the warehouses adjacent to the scene began the work of saving the most valuable portions of the portable belongings.

By dusk the picture presented was extremely brilliant. Four streets were blazing on both sides, and there was plenty of interest in the gambling spirit of the onlookers, in betting as to whether or not the venerable tower of St. Giles church could stand the hail of sparks and burning fragments with which it was enveloped.

There was no abatement of the blaze before 3.30 p. m. Then the check came in Jewin street and in Well street, where the collapse of a wall on the right hand side of that thoroughfare was the means of saving the last building in the street. The width of Red Cross street, a comparatively broad thoroughfare, also formed a barrier there.

The constable who first detected the flames blew his whistle loudly for assistance, but several minutes elapsed before the alarm was heard by any of his comrades. As soon as assistance reached him, the officer was dispatched to summon the fire brigade. But here again there was an unaccountable delay of twenty minutes before the first engine appeared. Then the fearful dimensions of the fire were apparent, and it was decided to circulate a call throughout the metropolitan district.

A Piece of Parchment

When unwritten on, is not more colorless than the cadaverous countenances of those unfortunate persons whom we are accustomed to call "confirmed invalid," What a misnomer! implying, too, despair, a giving up for lost! As long as the vivifying power of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters can be felt, and that is possible so long as there is no absolute collapse of the faculties fresh vitality can be infused into wasted, feeble frames, color and flesh can be brought back to wasted pallid cheeks with this grand sheet anchor of the debilitated and the sickly. It is a tonic of the greatest potency and the utmost of the purity, and a remedy for and preventive of dyspepsia, bilious, malarious rheumatic, nervous and kidney complaints. Appetite and sleep are greatly aided by it; it counteracts the effects of under fatigue, or excitement, and nullifies the often perilous consequences of exposure in inclement weather or damp clothing.

—A wave of prosperity has struck the village of Duncansville. The Portage Iron company will be substantially enlarged with additional mills. Ground has been broken for the erection of a steel wire nail mill, with a capacity of a daily output of 1,000 kegs. The main building will be 60 feet wide, extending in length 250 feet, with two wings 25x50 feet and a boiler house. This new addition will be provided with all the latest improved machinery known in the art of manufacturing nails, and the services of 100 men and boys skilled in this particular line will be required to operate the plant.

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Germany and Hayti.

BERLIN, Nov. 19.—The North German Gazette, referring to the dispute between Germany and Hayti in regard to the alleged false imprisonment of a German citizen named Lueders, says:

"Without doubt the Haytian authorities infringed the constitution and the laws of the republic entitle Lueders to German nationality, which gives him a perfect right to protection of the empire. Before Count Schwerin (the German minister) addressed himself directly to the president of Hayti, he had severel times vainly demand Lueders' release from the ministry for foreign affairs. The United States ministry arose for his friendship for Lueders and fears for safety of all the white men in Hayti. The report that Germany has broken off diplomatic relations with Hayti, placing the Germans under the American flag, is untrue. Count Schwerin is still at Port au Prince and the negotiations regarding the question of compensation, in which Germany demands $50,000, will be carried on from Berlin. Should Hayti refuse compliance with Germany's just demands, Germany will be compelled to lend weight to her demands in another way."

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LUCAS COUNTY. }

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Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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"And may I ask you," she answered, somewhat testily, "to explain your reasons for believing that the world is getting better?"

For a moment he twirled the ring that she had just handed back to him; held it in such a position as to make it flash most brightly, and then replied:

"This is the first time I have ever had an engagement ring returned without a fight or a protest. Good evening.

Dr. Scott, whose Adv. appears in this issue makes the very liberal offer to every one trying his brush, that if it is not found satisfactory after six months trial he will refund the money, the brush has been sold over twenty years and must have merits to enjoy such an extensive sale.

Shortest on Record.

The trial of Patsy Banya for the murder of Perroto Augusta, which occurred at Dagus mines on July 25, took place Friday before Judge Mayer at Ridgway and was one of the shortest murder cases on record, only about five hours being consumed in the trial this time including the drawing of the jury and their deliberation before rendering a verdict. The crime for which Banya has just been found guilty was the result of a drunken quarrel between several men who were at work in the mines at Dagus Duprey Parmale, the star witness, testified that on the evening of July 25, while walking towards home in company with Augusta, the defendant confronted them, firing five shots without provocation. Two of these shots hit Augusta in the head, killing him instantly, the other three striking witness in the head and breast. *He* escaped by feigning death and allowing Banya to roll him down an embankment, The address to the jury was very short, both by the defense and commonwealth, and after an impartial charge by the court, the jury retired and rendered a verdict of murder in the first degree in about an hour.

The New York Ledger of November 27 will contain a stirring and romantic story of the Cumberland Hills, entitled "The Kentucky Outlaw," by Henry Cleveland Wood. Mr. Wood is a native Kentuckian, familiar with the scenery, the people, the rude life and the daring character of the mountaineers of his native State. He has chosen southeastern Kentucky, where the villages lie in the perpetual shadow of the majestic Cumberland Mountains, as the scene of one of the most thrilling and absorbing histories that it has ever been our fortune to meet with in the form of a novel. This portion of the United States has always been famous since the days of Daniel Boone for men of large mold and reckless daring, not always governed by the restraints of law or the rules of morality. Mr. Wood has made admirable use of the abundant materials at his command. He has produced a story which will interest everybody. Its local color is true, and it deals with passions and ambitions which are as common as humanity.

Do not fail to get the Ledger of November 27. The price of the Ledger is five cents per copy; $2.00 per annum.

A Beech Creek Blaze.

Lock Haven Express.

BEECH CREEK, Nov. 18, 1897.—At two o'clock this morning the shrieking of a locomotive whistle on a freight train on the Beech Creek railroad awakened the household of Mr. David Gunsallus, to find his fine large bank barn on fire on his farm three mile north of here. Aided by his sons and neighbors, who ran to his assistance, he managed with great difficulty to release the horses and cattle in the barn, and he got all the live stock out in the nick of time. The wagons and mowing machine were also removed to a place of safety, but by that time the roaring mass of flames became too vast and hot to admit of anyone going near the building with any degree of safety. The efforts of the people around there were then directed to protecting the adjoining buildings, which was successfully accomplished. All the contents of the barn in the way of hay and straw were consumed, together with 200 bushels of grain, 70 of which were wheat threshed out. The fire made a great light and was seen for a great distance, making a fine sight.

Mr. Gunsallus is prostrated over his great loss. He had the barn insured only in part in the Sugar Valley Mutual Fire Insurance Company. The fire was doubtless of incendiary origin, as no other cause can possibly be imagined. It was only last week that another such barn on H. H. Berry's farm in Beech Creek township burned under similar circumstances. The mysterious cause of both has created a great sensation in the vicinity.

Weather Forecasts,

My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from the 17th to the 21st, and the next will reach the Pacific coast about the 21st; cross the west of Rockies county by the close of the 22d, great central valleys 23d to 25th, and the eastern states 26th.

A warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about the 21st, great central valleys 23d and eastern states 25th. A cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about the 24th, great central valleys 26th and eastern states 28th.

The temperature of the week ending November 20th will average about normal in the southern states.

During the week last above mentioned frequent light snows and rains will occur in the northern states.

The last third of November will bring a general cold wave.

Duty.

It is a duty we owe to ourselves, as well as the whole are dependent upon us, to preserve our health and strength. Aunt Rachael's Peruvian Malaria Bitters are found to be unfailing and valuable assistant in maintaining the vigor of the system and in keeping it in tone. Excellent for those subject to Malarial fevers, females and weakly persons to give an appetite.

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A Huntingdon man bought two pills, and put them in his vest pocket. He also bought a pearl collar button and put it in the same pocket. When it came time to take a pill he just shut his eyes, opened his mouth and gulped it down. He was relieved of his headache and went on his way rejoicing. Afterward, having use for the collar button, he felt in his pocket and found two pills and no collar button.

Seems as if consumption always picks out the brightest and best. Fully one-sixth of all the deaths that occur in the world are caused by consumption. Many things were once considered impossible. It would be strange if medical science did not make some progress. The telegraph and telephone, phonograph, the electric light—all were once impossible, and once it was impossible to cure consumpion. That was before the time of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical discovery. Taken according to directions, this standard remedy will cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption. Consumption is caused and fostered by impurity in the blood. *It* is cured by purity and richness in the blood—surely, certainly cured by the "Medical Discovery." It builds up solid healthy flesh and vigorous strength.

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NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

It Comes to the Preacher from Over Study and Brain Tire—It Comes to Any Person, too, who Worries and Frets.

From the Huron Tribune, Bad Axe, Mich.

A "breaking down of the nervous system" is a modern expression,—a modern complaint. It is induced by prolonged strain and the overtaxing of the nervous system, and is a product of over hurry and hustle. It affects the preacher and the lawyer—the direct result of brain tire. It affects people in any walk of life, too, who worry and fret. It means a depleting of the nerve forces.

It is curable by complete rest and change of scene, also by the use of nerve restoratives and nerve foods. As the first method is not within the reach of all, the latter offers the most universal and practical method of treating the complaint. When it is determined that medicine is to be used, select that one which contains the most nerve-nourishing properties. Do not take nerve tonics. They only stimulate, and the reaction leaves you worse than you were before. Select the medicine that is to the nerves what meat is to the body—one that as it builds up the nerves, also increases your weight. The best thing for the purpose is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the reputation of which is built up by solid and indisputable proof, and which is known in every hamlet in the country.

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Dear Sirs:—In April, 1896, I was a hopeless case, owing to a complete breaking down of my nervous system and to a persistent stomach trouble. I had been treated by a great many physicians but received no permanent benefit. I had been down four times with nervous prostration and twice with gastritis. These attacks would come with such violence as to throw me into spasms. The time came when physicians said I must stop preaching or die. I would be so exhausted after the last service on Sunday that I could scarcely get from the pulpit. Many a time I have had to sit down and rest before I could leave the church in order to gain a little strength. I could eat neither meat nor vegetables. I dared not allow my bare feet to as much as touch the cold carpet or floor, to say nothing of taking a cold foot bath. If I did I was immediately seized with cramps. In this condition I commenced to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I took one box and felt no better—in fact worse. I said I would take no more, but my wife urged the matter, feeling my life depended upon the result, as every thing else had failed, and I was "used up." I therefore continued to take them. Since then, and it has been several months, I have had but one slight attack and have enjoyed life. Have preached all summer and held revival meetings for fifteen weeks. During that time my wife was sick seven weeks, so that my rest was much broken. Some nights I did not sleep at all. I have had no muscular exercise for years until recently, when I have done some work in my garden, and my muscles stand the test remarkably well. I can eat any thing I desire, and can now enjoy a cold bath daily. Every Sabbath I preach three times, and now think I am good for another twenty years if the Lord wills. I am surprised at myself and sometimes think it cannot be possible that I have accomplished what I have.

(Signed) "REV. J. N. MCCREADY,
Elkton, Mich."

Find attached, the affidavit of Mr. McCready, made before a notary public.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
COUNTY OF TUSCOLA. }

J. N. McCready, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statements made by him are true. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1897. J. D. BROOKES, *Notary Public.*

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AFTER A NAME.

Bellefonte Boy Who Is Very Sorry He Ran Away From Home.

The following concerning a Bellefonte boy is taken from the Altoona *Times* of Thursday.

Ben Shrock, aged 14 years, who says he lives at Bellefonte, was a noonday caller yesterday on Examiner George Hoffman, of the department of charities, Pittsburg. He had been advised to see Mr. Hoffman by some charitably disposed ladies in the East End.

Young Shrock was a forlorn-looking little fellow, and was the picture of distress as he sat in the office and answered the questions of the examiner, and pleaded for transportation to his home in the eastern part of the state. According to the boy's story, and it was believed he told the truth, he was induced to run away from home weeks ago by a friend named Barris. He said they would go to Pittsburg, where they had strikes, and men were afraid to take the strikers' places for fear of being killed.

Young Barris told him they could make a name for themselves by "jumping in" and going to work. The picture was painted in such alluring colors that Shrock consented, and the boys left home together. The first night away from home was spent with a number of tramps in a box car, about twelve miles from Hollidaysburg. The men, three in number, kept the boys for two weeks and compelled them to beg for them as they tramped over the country. When the boys did not bring back good, wholesome food, the men would beat them, and they threatened to kill them if they dared tell anyone of whom they asked assistance the story of how the men kept them prisoners and compelled them to beg.

Finally, one night when the weather was warm, the boys planned to run away and while their captors slept in a stable, Shrock and Barris made good their escape. They mounted a freight train and made their way to East Liberty, arriving at the stock yards some days ago.

A boy who worked about the yards took them to his home, on River avenue, where they had been until Tuesday night, when the parents of Barris sent him money to go home. Shrock wanted to go back also, but had no money. After telling his story to some kindly-disposed ladies, he was advised to call on the poor authorities.

Examiner Hoffman telegraphed to the boy's father, at Bellefonte, and asked him to pay for a ticket to send the boy back home. Young Shrock was probably sent on his way rejoicing on one of the evening trains yesterday.

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HOLLIDAYSBURG, Pa., Nov, 16.—Congressman J. D. Hicks, acting as the auditor of the Blair county court, sat here to-day to distribute the funds of the Gardner, Morrow & Co. estate among the creditors. Five hundred depositors presented claims amounting to $500,000. The amount for distribution was $15,000. Several depositors demurred when they learned they would only receive 3 cents on the dollar.

Auditor Hicks suggested that the unwilling ones donate their claims to the Altoona hospital. The auditor will recommend an equitable plan of distribution to the court.

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Guaranteed tobacco habit cure makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. $1. All druggists.

He Stole Brass.

At Williamsport Tuesday the railroad detectives arrested Levi Mumford on the charge of stealing brass from the cars of the P. and E. and the P. and R. railroads. Mumford was about taking a train for Philadelphia when captured. He had with him a satchel and box, both of which were filled with brass, while in the freight department another box was found containing 550 pounds of the metal which Mumford was about to ship to the Quaker city. Following this a search was made at his home and over 1,000 pounds of brass were found hidden in the cellar, ice house, stable and buried in the yard. A complete outfit for melting the brass was also found.—Lock Haven Democrat.

PROCEEDINGS IN COURT.

Some of the Most Important Cases.

The following were the most important cases disposed of during the first week of court:

C. C. Bell vs Emil Joseph and Sigmund Joseph, and Herman Holtz, owners and contractors, scire facias sur mechanics him, plea nil debit. This case is being tried before Judge Love. Sometime in the early spring of 1896, the plaintiff and the defendants entered into a contract whereby the plaintiff agreed to excavate the cellars, put up the walls put in a cess-pool and a retaining wall for the defendants for their new houses at the intersection of Spring and Logan streets in Bellefonte for the price or sum of $300.00; after the work was done the parties could not settle and Mr. Bell filed a mechanics lien, which finally led into this suit. The defendants alleging that the cess-pool and the retaining wall were put in, such an un-workman like manner, this necessitating the defendants to pay out monies in order to put these in shape and claiming therefor that the plaintiff had been fully paid, which of course the plaintiff denied and alleged that the terms of the contract had been fully complied with, save where the defendants had relieved him. Verdict on Wednesday morning in favor of the plaintiff for $3.37.

Elizabeth Jane Fowler vs Daniel Robb, summons in ejectment, plea not guilty. This case was tried before Judge Gordon. This action is brought to recover the possession of a piece of land in Liberty township known as the Peter Riter tract, containing about twenty-four acres, which the defendant alleges he came in possession of through the sheriff's sale of John T. Fowler's real estate through a Mr DeLong. Verdict on Wednesday in favor of the defendant.

Frank P. Blair vs the Bellefonte Furnace Co., Philip Collins, Thomas Collins and Thomas A. Shoemaker, summons in trespass. Plea not guilty. Settled.

Luther Guisewite, now for the use of A. Walter, cashier of the Millheim Banking Co., of Millheim, Pa., vs the Iron City Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Pittsburg Pa., summons in assumpsit. Plea now assumpsit. This case was tried by Judge Gordon. On December 17th, 1895, the grain house, contents and creamery of Luther Guisewite were destroyed by fire, and the defendant company had a policy of insurance on the stock of grain, salt, potatoes and on the creamery, upon which said policy of insurance this suit was brought to recover the face of the policy, the loss having been total. Verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $1100.

Nicholas J. Griffin vs John Erb, summons in assumpsit, plea now assumpsit. This case was tried before Judge Love, and is brought to recover on a note given by the defendant to Lazamis Mayer, and endorsed over by Mr. Mayer, to Mr. Griffin. The note being a negotiable note, very little defence could be made and a verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for $86.47.

BURGESS NAGINEY ANSWERED.

A Communication from the Chairman of the Nuisance Committee of the Town Council.

Mr. Editor:—

I notice that his Ornamental Highness, Chief-Burgess Naginey, makes a strained effort in yesterdays News to extricate himself from the unpleasant position in which the Nuisance Committee of the town Council placed him at their last stated meeting, for neglecting or evading his duties as Chief Officer of our town; by *indecently*, if not maliciously, draging a firm into the controversy, who do not own a dog and had no part in the affair whatever of which Mr. Naginey was fully advised before his *piece* was published.

A Chief Officer of a town, who willfully circulates a falsehood about others, as Mr. Naginey has done, for the purpose of making his short comings more obscure to public view, is more of a nuisance than the dogs he writes about.

A Chief-Burgess should have some respect for the truth at least if he has none for himself. We might infer from his conduct in this transaction, that he was more interested in hurrying up a funeral than he was in preventing it by removing the cause of the annoyance of which the invalid complained.

WM. SHORTLIDGE,
Cham. Nuisance Com.

HE BROUGHT IT FROM THE WORLD'S FAIR.

And kept it two years.

The great World's Fair, at Chicago, in 1893, while it gave pleasure to many, gave pain to not a few as an indirect result of their visit to the White City. People were lured along the miles of wonderful exhibits by the new marvels that met the gaze at every step, and did not realize their exhaustion until they dropped into a chair in some breezy corner by the lake, and "cooled off." That's what began the trouble, in many cases. Of one such case, Mrs. L. W. Stevens, Fort Fairfield, Me., writes:

"My husband took a severe cold and cough two years ago last October—time of the World's Fair, which we attended. This cough lasted over two years, was accompanied by spitting of blood, and nothing could be found to help him, although various remedies were tried. Several doctors were consulted, but their prescriptions afforded no relief. Finally, I saw an advertisement of Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my paper and prevailed upon my husband to get a bottle and try it. The very first dose helped him and he was completely cured in a short time. We feel very grateful for what Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has done for us, and shall keep it constantly on hand in the house."—Mrs. L. W. STEVENS, Fort Fairfield, Me.

Two years of doctoring for a cough, two years of "remedies" that gave no help, of prescriptions that profited only the men who wrote them, and then a trial of Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which helped from the very first dose and effected a complete cure in a short time. The difference between Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and all other cough medicines could not be better stated than in this comparison of results. It has cured the most stubborn and obstinate cases of chronic bronchitis and asthma. It is a specific for croup and whooping cough. It cures all coughs and colds and all affections of the throat and lungs promptly and effectively. In response to numerous demands Dr. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is put up in half size bottles—sold at half price—50 cents. More about cures effected by Pectoral in Dr. Ayer's Curebook. Sent free, on request, by the J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Remember this sign whereby it Conquers Pain.

St. Jacobs Oil

CURES RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, LUMBAGO, SPRAINS, BRUISES, SORENESS, STIFFNESS, AND BURNS.

ENDED HIS EARTHLY CAREER

A Former Proprietor of the Bush House Shoots Himself With a Shot Gun.

Thursday's Lock Haven Democrat contains the following accounts of the suicide of a former Bellefonter:

Late Wednesday afternoon residents of the Fourth ward were startled by the announcement that E. W. Bigony, of North Fairview street, had committed suicide by shooting himself. The deed was committed about 3 o'clock at his residence. Mr. and Mrs. Bigony were down stairs talking to Miss Annie Herr. Mr. Bigony was depressed in spirts and gave expression to gloomy views while walking nervously over the floor. Both Mrs. Bigony and Miss Herr encouraged him as best they could, and counselled him not to give way to his evil forebodings. In a few minutes Mr. Bigony left the ladies and went up stairs.

A short time after Mrs. Bigony and her lady friend heard a noise as though something had fallen. They ran up to Mr. Bigony's bedroom and found him lying across the bed dead. The top of the head and the brains were scattered about the room. The act was committed with a shot gun. Coroner Hayes was summoned. He empaneled a jury, viewed the body and adjourned to hear the testimony of those who were in the house at the time the act was committed.

The jury adjourned, met last evening at Alderman Harris' office and framed the verdict that deceased came to his death by shooting himself with a gun, while temporarily insane.

Ephraim W. Bigony was born in Berks county, March 9, 1828, and several years after his parents moved to Pottstown, Pa., where Ephraim received his education. When 14 years old he was working in the woolen mills of Marlborough, Montgomery county. From 1849 to 1853 he clerked in a dry goods store at Reading, and afterwards was engaged in the mercantile business. He kept hotel at Troy, Pa., for three years, also at Allentown.

in 1802 he came to Lock Haven and took possession of the Fallon house He afterwards purchased the hotel from John Fallon, Philadelphia, and two years later sold the building to John Ottenkirk, of Philadelphia. Shortly after Mr. Bigony went to Bellefonte and opened the Bush house. In 1872 he became interested with W. W. Rankin, in the coal business in that place. He remained in Bellefonte until 1877, until he accepted the stewardship of the Central State Normal School, which position he retained until 1883. In 1884 he went to Ronceverte, W. Va., where for ten months he managed the Hotel Dickson. He then returned to this city, started in the coal, flour and feed business, in which occupation he has been engaged ever since.

Mr. Bigony was a regular attendant at the Episcopal church. As a hotel manager he was affable and considerate; as a citizen he always conducted himself in such a manner as to win many friends. The family have the warm sympathy of the entire community in their sad affliction.

Mr. Bigony is survived by his wife and the following named children: A. J. and Ephraim K., of this city; Charles S., of Sunbury, and Mrs. E. E. Stewart, of Reynoldsville.

The funeral will take place this (Friday) afternoon and will be private. Services will be conducted at the house at 3 o'clock by Rev. Lewis Nichols.

Glossner—Bitner.

A very pleasant home wedding occurred at Blanchard Tuesday evening Nov. 16th, when D. W. Glossner took unto himself a very estimable wife in the person of Mrs. M. C. Bitner. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride by Rev. M. S. Blair, and was witnessed by the immediate relatives and a few invited friends.

—Bellefonte Republican and New York Tribune one year for $1.50 in advance.

IDENTIFIED AT LAST.

The Murdered Boy Found in the Car at Williamsport.

After the body of the boy who was found dead in a horse car in the Williamsport yards Saturday, Oct. 16, had been examined by different parties from various sections of the country, it has at last been identified. The dead boy's name was Henry Daringer, and his address was at 113 Caldwell street, Pittsburg. The Williamsport *Times* says that the murdered boy's brother, Albert arrived from Pittsburg Monday evening. Tuesday morning he presented Chief Wise a letter of introduction from the authorities of his native city. Chief Wise questioned the young man as to the clothes his brother wore and concerning any peculiar marks he might have on his body. The clothes were described perfectly before he saw them and his description tallied exactly with that of the boy found.

When Chief Wise, after bringing out the bag of clothes that were found on the body, took out the cap, Daringer exclaimed "that's his cap," and instantly recognized the shoes, pantaloons, vest and coat in quick succession as they were taken from the bag.

Although satisfied that the murdered boy was his brother, he accompanied the chief to the city engineer's room where a proof of a photograph taken at the time the remains were exhumed shortly after burial, was made. Here the last doubt, if any remained, was removed and he unhesitatingly decided that he had found his brother. Owing to the condition of the remains, it was finally decided that the body should be allowed to rest in the Williamsport cemetery.

A death certificate was obtained from Coroner Goehrig, about 11 o'clock which will enable him to collect an insurance of about $110. which his brother had in the Prudential Insurance company.

Henry Daringer was one of a family of five children. His father has been dead for some time, and his mother died about two years ago. Lately Henry, who was 18 years old last January, worked out, generally around horses. He was of a roving disposition, and often left his native city without saying anything to the family about where he was going.

On August 4 Henry left home, not telling his brothers or sisters his destination, but stating to his companions that he was going to Baltimore. He was accompanied by a negro, who was his constant companion and with whom he often played cards. Nothing was heard of him since until his sister saw in a German paper that a boy answering young Daringer's description had been found dead at Williamsport. She said nothing until last Tuesday, when she gave the clipping to her brother, Albert, who immediately took it to Superintendent Leslie, of Pittsburg, who gave the letter to County Detective Goehrig, and advised him to come to Williamport and look the matter up.

Try Allen's Foot Ease.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. At this season your feet feel swollen and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures and prevents swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package free.
Address, Allen S. Olmstead Le Roy N. Y.

Successful Meetings.

Rev. Goodling is holding very successful meetings in his church. Last evening three young people sought to be saved. The church was crowded with interesting listeners.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

THE NATIONAL BODY

The Grangers Expect to Adjourn Finally To-Day.

NICARAGUA CANAL APPROVED

Adopted a Ceremony as to the Laying of Corner Stones—Refuse to Send a Delegate to the Women's Congress.

ADDRESS BY SECRETARY NELSON

HARTISBURG, November 17.—The national grange to-day decided to adjourn finally to-morrow. Encouraging reports were received from the state masters of Texas and North Carolina. The grange also decided to adopt a ceremony for the laying of corner stones of grange halls. The proposition to send a delegate to the woman's congress was rejected, and the Nicaragua canal project was endorsed in a report from the committee on foreign relations.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson made an informal address at the afternoon session. He congratulated the grange on the important position it occupies and the dignified manner in which the grangers discharge the responsibilities resting upon them.

"You recognize the need for education and object lessons in the sciences that relate to agriculture and asked for colleges, experiment stations and a department of agriculture that are all engaged in making plain the secrets of nature as they relate to climate and soil, plant and anima, in their relation to mankind and hi happiness," he added. These instrumentalities succeed and are helpful as you are interested in them or neglect them in the several states of our country. The scientific student of the farm is making household words and fireside talk of what heretofore has been an unknown tongue."

The department of agriculture is trying to help the individual and the state where its arm is longer than theirs and new markets, introducing new plants gathering facts for producers at home and thus facilities greater. It is opening up broad to the end that they may be better informed regarding their work and the operations of those the world over with whom they compete. The time is auspicious for pushing this work. President McKinley instructs me to make the department useful to every locality in our broad land, sympathizing as he does with the toilers in the field and the forest, factory and mine and with all homemakers where woman reigns as mother, daughter and wife the only correct unit of society and the sure safeguard of the republic."

An address was also made by John Hamilton, deputy secretary of agriculture on farmers' institute work in Pennsylvania. A resolution was adopted against the grange taking any part in co-operative enterprises and against gambling in futures. The grange will close its sessions to-morrow.

Milton Would Like to Have It.

Milton citizens are considering the proposition of a silk mill firm, that is desirous of securing another location. The company is having serious labor troubles in the town in which their plant is now situated, and for this reason desire to remove to a more promising field. They want the people to take five per cent. bonds to the extent of $15,000 in denominations of $50 or $100, to be secured by the real estate and improvements, including $20,000 worth of improved machinery, with which they propose to commence operating the plant. A building 40x120 feet is to be erected, with room to extend it as the business would require. Fifty modern broad looms would be put in at the start and for the first six months fifty persons would be employed. This number would be increased as the help became proficient.

The Grangers Quit.

HARRISBURG, November 18.—A resolution was adopted at to-day's session of the national grange, Patrons of *Husbandry*, appropriating $500 for the use of the assembly of the Priests of Demeter. A resolution to amend the constitution by reducing the fees of members under 21 years was defeated, Master-elect Aaron Jones, of Indiana, made a report in regard to plans for extending the order during the coming year. Five thousand dollars will be set aside as a lecture fund, $3,000 more than is now used for this purpose.

The grange closed its session to-night and many of the delegates left soon after adjournment for their homes. The next annual convention will be held in November, 1898, at Concord, N. H. The officers elected at the session just closed were installed to-day by Past Worthy Master Brigham, of Ohio.

Dislocated Her Hip.

Mrs. Rose Fox, mother of the late Joseph Fox, met with quite a serious accident Friday morning. She has been staying at her son's residence for some time past. When she started to go down the cellar steps she slipped and fell clear to the bottom of the stairs. Her hip was dislocated by the fall and she was otherwise bruised. Mrs. Fox is over 80 years of age.

"Just as Good"

as Scott's and we sell it much cheaper," is a statement sometimes made by the druggist when Scott's Emulsion is called for. This shows that the druggists themselves regard

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda as the standard, and the purchaser who desires to procure the "standard" because he knows it has been of untold benefit, should not for one instant think of taking the risk of using some untried preparation. The substitution of something said to be "just as good" for a standard preparation twenty-five years on the market, should not be permitted by the intelligent purchaser.

Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and fish are on the wrapper 50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Examine Your Fruit Trees.

By an act of the legislature it is unlawful for any person to keep any tree infected with the contagious diseases known as yellows, black knot, peach rosette or peach blight, or to offer for sale or shipment or to sell or ship any of the fruit thereof, except the fruit of the plum, cherry and pear tree. Both trees and fruit diseased are subject to destruction as public nuisance upon complaint of any person. If the owner does not destroy the tree the authorities of the town or township shall appoint three freeholders as commissioners to inquire and condemn, and the expense charged to the borough or township, which may be recovered from the owner of the tree condemned.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

—A poor Russian peasant, who wished to travel to St. Petersburg, but who had not enough money to buy a railway ticket, took his seat in the train at Moscow. At the first station the guard came to him and asked for his ticket. As he could not produce one he was turned out and given some thumps in the ribs by the guard. The peasant waited at the station for the next train, and was taken a station further, and received the same treatment. On entering a train for the third time a passenger asked him how far he was going to travel. "To St. Petersburg, if my ribs will stand it." firmly replied the peasant.

JOS. HORNE & CO.

MAIL ORDER SPECIALS.

Dress Goods.

A lot of plain and fancy dress goods consisting, among others, of the following styles and fabrics:—

50-inch Cheviot Suitings,
50-inch Mixed Yarn Suitings,
46-inch French Novelty Suitings,
56-inch Ladies' Cloths,
40 inch Stylish Plaids.

Almost all these are dollar a yard qualities; a few of them were 85c a yard. We offer all at

60c a yard.

Black Silks.

We have a lot of fifteen hundred yards of 75c and $1.00 Black Silks which we will sell for

65c a yard.

This is one of our special efforts and cannot fail to be well appreciated. The lot is composed of Black Satin Damas, Black Satin Duchesse and Black Taffetas.

Two New Silk Patterns.

One of these is really one of next Spring's Silks shown only here; a most beautiful pattern in a "graduated plaid,"

$1.50 a yard.

The other, is also an 1898 pattern in a ribbon striped Taffeta, red, blue, black and purple grounds with a variegated satin ribbon stripe, regular price $1.25, our price

$1.00 a yard.

Above are only a very few of the special values we are offering our Mail Order Customers. Whatever you want send for samples of it, the samples will come by return mail with a price tag which will prove a delightful surprise.

Mention this paper when you write.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

The Bellefonte Republican

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—No communication published unless accompanied by the real name of the writer.

Correspondents should write upon but one side of the paper and avoid the use of pale orifancy inks.

EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Local Department.

—Wm. Webner, of Nittany killed last week three of the largest hogsin this valley. The three weighed almost 1300 lbs

—The *Watchman* lasti week contains a fine picture of the State College football team.

—We are sorry to learn that Superintendent Frank Williams, of the Electric Light Co., is very ill with malarial fever.

—On Wednesday night, December 1st, May Smith Robbins, will appear at Garman's opera house in "Little Trixie."

—The case of Dr. Mohn charged with shooting Wm. Huey, of Millheim, recently, will not come up at this term of court.

—R. J. Schadd & Bros., have secured the contract to install a steam heating plant in the new Nittany country club house at Hecla.

—The clothing store of Joseph Lehman at Philipsburg, was closed by the sheriff on Tuesday, Nov. 16.

—Even in the most severe cases of sprain or bruise, cut or burn, Thomas' Eclectric Oil gives almost instant relief. It is the ideal family liniment.

—The Beech Creek railroad engine No. 57 is known as a fatal engine on that road. Friday Nov 12 it killed its fifth man in engineer Gray, who lost his life in the wreck near Patton.

The statements of those who have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla prove the great merit of this medicine. Get only Hood's.

—John P. Harris has very much improved the appearance of his handsome residence on Linn street by removing the fence in front of his lawn.

—Eczema of the scalp or Scald Head, even in its most severe form, is neverfallingly cured by Doan'sOintment.

—The Hon. S. R. Peale of Lock Haven attended court last week on business. He has just returned from a four months sojourn in Europe, and while here entertained his many friends with quaint stories of the people on the other side of the big pond.

—On Wednesday 5,000 six-inch trout were placed in the Hecla stream for next Spring's fishing by the Rod and Gun club The club house is now being fitted up with steam heat, and to-day, Thanksgiving the members will sit down to a big dinner there. Andy Brokerhoff is superintending the work, and everything will be in apple pie order.

—Cashier J. D. Shugart, of the Centre county bank, is remodeling his already handsome residence on West Linn street. He is building a new porch which will extend clear around the side of the house and will also put on a new roof.

—County superintendent C. L. Gramley has two fine attractions for institute in Sam Jones and Eli Perkins. The institute will be held here December 13th to 17th, and already gives promise of being one of the most interesting ever held.

—Joseph J. Rhoads, a son of Mrs. Daniel Rhoads, of Linn street, has been promoted from the position of assistant supervisor of the Amboy division of the P. R. R. to that of assistant supervisor of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, with headquarters at Washington, D. C. It is quite an advance and Joseph is to be congratulated on his success.

—The report in circulation and published in other papers to the effect that the crew of local freight, who were in charge of the cars which ran over Joseph Fox, had been laid off indefinitely, is a mistake. They were only laid off for one day, pending an investigation and are now back on duty.

—C. W. Gray, of Tyrone, is having more than his share of trouble, it would seem. For ten long weeks he has been lying seriously ill with a severe attack of typhoid fever which was finally broken but without any change for the better Mr. Gray now suffers from stomach trouble and there is little, if any, hope for his recovery. Added to the illness of their father, two sons, Donald and Paul, are both confined to their beds with typhoid fever, but their condition is not considered dangerous.

—Will McCalmont cleaned the store windows on Monday We suppose Chas. Mench was doing the same thing at the Gazette office. They were cleaning windows Sunday night also, at least it was a pane (pain) of some kind they were trying to get rid of. They were down to the dedication sevices and were "Wright" among the largest contributors.

—Mrs. Sarah Rossman at Nittany was granted a pension under the issue of a recent date.

—David Walters, residing at Tamarack, a few days ago shot a deer within a few roda of his house that weighed 238 pounds.

—Serious troubles come from the neglect of a cough. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is a perfect cure for coughs and colds of all sorts.

—John Himes at Salona Monday killed two porkers 10 months old. The one weighed 502 pounds and the other 422 pounds.

—Everyday symptoms of digestive disorders—acid stomach, distress after eating, burning at pit of stomach, dull, heavy feeling— Burdock Blood Bitters never fails to correct troubles of this sort.

—Near Milton Monday Elmer Smith, a young farmer, was threshing corn with a steam machine, when his arm caught in the gearing in some manner, and was torn from the socket. He is in a critical condition.

—Our enthusiastic young wheelmen, George T. Bush, has just been elected a member of the state board of officers of the League of American Wheelmen. This is the eighth year he has served in the capacity of representative besides being on several committees. His numerous ideas are much sought after by his colleagues in the work of the league.

—Mrs. Amanda Evans has again returned to this place and desires to do nursing. As she is lame she must have work on first floor. Charges reasonable. Only engaged at present for the 26th. Home on South Thomas street, in Dr. Kirk's house. D&w-3t

—Persons really interested in their own town will do their shopping for the holidays at home. The merchant helps you in some way. If you are in business you get a share from him either directly or indirectly. If you are a railroader he pays your company for hauling his goods and you get a share of the money thus secured. If you are a mechanic or laborer your employment is often made possible by the enterprise of the merchant. He is always asked and gives in more than one way during the year to your church, your society, etc. Buy your holiday presents home.

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte Postoffice uncalled for Nov. 22, 1897:

Allen, Bert	Lucas, Mrs. Anna
Daly, Jos.	Lingle, Leah
Dotson, Claud	M'Carthy, Norrie
Dick, Mrs. Mary	Royer, Carrie
Flesher, Ira	Smith, S. L.
Gill, Miss Nancy	Swartz, Edith
Heckman, John	Sulch, Lillie
Long, Etta	Waring, Eliza

When called for please say advertised.

DAVID F. FORTNEY, P. M.

Beech Creek to Johnstown.

Johnstown people are highly elated over the prospects for an early extension of the Beech Creek railroad, which is a Vandebilt connection, to their city. It is announced that there is an understanding between the Beech Creek company and the Baltimore and Ohio, which guarantees the early construction of the extension. Such a road would be of inestimable benefit to Johnstown and would help the Baltimore and Ohio branch greatly, as it would give a new short line from Central Pennsylvania to the south.

Associate Judge Faulkner's Record.

This term of court is the last regular term over which Associate Judge Corlis A. Faulkner, of Philipsburg will preside. He retires from duty Jan. 1st, 1898, but in the meanwhile he will preside at all argument courts and other special courts that may intervene. Judge Faulkner is one of the best associate judges that ever presided in our courts, and when he retires it will be with the respect and friendship of every person who had business in court during his career on the bench. From this on there will be no associate judges in Centre county.

Week of Prayer.

As Christian temperance workers realizing the need of a stronger and more united effort on the part of the church, and the Womans Christian Temperace Union, in the prosecution of Evangelistic temperance work. This week has been set apart by the W. C. T. U. for daily prayer meetings, having for their object, a revival in this, and all other lines of christian work. All who realize that there is a need for this, are cordially invited to be present at these meetings, which will be held in the Temperance Rooms in Criders Exchange from three to four p. m. every day during the week except Thanksgiving day.

—Subscribe for the Bellefonte Republican and get all the news.

MET AN AWFUL DEATH.

Fell Thirty Feet Crushing His Skull and Breaking His Neck.

Sad, sad indeed was the news that reached our ears when it was known that Lawrence Shivery, the oldest son of D. Harry Shivery, had fallen and broken his neck.

As soon as this sad intelligence was known a reporter of this paper was sent to the scene of the accident, to find the story only too true.

This is what his father told us: Lawrence was never in better spirits than he was Tuesday morn when he was preparing to go to school. It was about a quarter of nine when his little brother, Andrew, was taking the calves to the field and saw two gray squirrels run up a tree. He ran and told his brother Lawrence, who immediately started after Andrew exclaiming, 'I'm going to have those squirrels.' Andrew fearing he might fall, told him he had better not ascend the tree but wait until they would come down. But Lawrence said 'No, I will go up after them,' which he did. The tree was about thirty feet high and had hardly any limbs on it, and it is a wonder how he really got so high, but his brother says he was nearly to the top when the branch on which he was standing gave way and he fell, striking his head on the ground. Andrew, his little brother, who is about 7 years old, ran to him and tried to raise him up, and asked him where he was hurt, but no response came from the injured boy. Andrew then ran with all his might to the house, telling his parents that Lawrence had fallen off of a tree and is either dead or dying. His father without any hesitancy started to where he had fallen and with the help of some other men carried him into the house. They tried every way possibly to bring him back to life, but no, his life was extinct, and nothing could ever bring him back again. His father said he gasped three times while they were carrying him into the house, but the Doctor said he had passed away before they had reached the above mentioned place. Dr. Seibert was sent for but could do nothing, only tell them that his skull was cracked and his neck broken. The other bruises he had was a little scar on his right knee and a small scratch on his right cheek.

Lawrence Shivery was a true christian young man and all his life has been a kind and obedient son to his parents. He is the oldest of the family and was born the 30th day of August, 1884, making his age 13 years, 2 months and 24 days. He leaves to mourn, not his loss, but his gain and their loss, a good, kind father and mother and his brother Andrew, and many friends who will only be too sorry to hear of his sad death.

Lawrence was buried on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from his late home. Rev. Jones, his pastor, having charge of the services, assisted by Rev. Dr. Stevens.

The REPUBLICAN extends its sincere sympathy to these bereaved parents and brother, in these sad hours of trial.

Will Bring Suit.

Mrs. Mary Fox will bring suit against the P. R. R. Co., to recover damages through the loss of her husband, Joseph Fox.

Married at High Noon.

Mr. Ira Robins, father of Mrs. Harry Schreyer, was married Wednesday noon, to a young widow lady in Baltimore. He will bring his bride home in a few weeks.

Received $1,000.

On Tuesday morning the Heptasophs presented Mrs. Mary Fox, wife of the late Joseph Fox, with one thousand dollars, that being the amount of Mr. Fox's life insurance in that order.

A Generous Act.

It is a well known fact that McCalmont & Co. are one of the leading business firms of Bellefonte. They are enterprising and progressive and contribute much to the welfare of our town by giving steady employment to several hundred men. They also have the welfare and happiness of their employees at heart, as evidenced by the fact that they will present this week, to each one of their men, a bouncing big turkey for Thanksgiving. For this purpose they have had their agents out during the past week scouring the country for the largest and fatest turkeys they could purchase.

PERSONAL PENCILINGS.

Oscar Kling spent Sunday at his home in Jacksonville.

Mrs. A. J. Graham, of Philipsburg, is a guest of her friend Miss Celia Armor.

Miss Bogle, of Howard. Pa., transacted business in Bellefonte Friday.

Mr. Chas Dorworth visited friends in Howard Friday.

Mr. Claude Cook transacted business in Unionville Friday.

Thomas K. Morris, of Bellefonte spent Sunday in Tyrone.

P. J. McDonnell, of Unionville, was a recent visitor to our town.

J. H. Sands of this place, visited friends in Lock Haven last week.

Mr. Harry Winkleman, of Nittany, is attending court this week.

Dr. F. S. Smith, of Lock Haven transacted business in Bellefonte Friday.

Col. J. L. Spangler is spending a few days with his family in Bellefonte.

J. H. Reifsnyder Esq. of Millheim, is attending to business at court this week.

John Sourbeck returned Saturday from a business trip to Greater New York.

Mr. David Kerr of Centre Hill, transacted business in Bellefonte Wednesday.

Miss Annie Curtin returned on Monday evening after a very enjoyable visit to Williamsport.

Misses Elsie Long and Betty Stitzer were transacting business in Bellefonte Wednesday morning.

Rev. Dr. Lawrence Colfelt, of State College, shook hands with his many friends in Bellefonte Wednesday.

Ex-Commissioner Jack Greist, of Unionville, transacted business in Bellefonte Monday.

Mr. Daniel H. Rote, of Haines twp., was chosen chairman of the Grand Jury Monday morning.

Deputy Attorney General Wilbur F. Reeder arrived home from Harrisburg Monday morning.

Harvey Corman Esq. of Reberburg, is attending court. He is interested in several important cases.

W. Harrison Walker Esq., transacted legal business in Port Matilda Tuesday afternoon.

Landlord Shanbacher, of the Brockerhoff house, returned Thursday morning from a flying trip to Lock Haven.

Frank Clemson, superintendent of the Carnegie ore mines at Scotia, transacting business in town Thursday.

S. T. Gray, one of the leading citizens of Patton township, attended court several days of last week.

Hon. J. P. Gephart and his wife left on Thursday for Dayton O., where they will visit friends.

Mr. Fred Scott, of Bellefonte, left for Pittsburg last week where he intends to spend the winter with his brother Frank.

W. Harrison Walker Esq., left for Lock Haven Saturday afternoon on legal business and spent Sunday with friends in that city.

Samuel Kling, of Jacksonville, passed through Bellefonte, Wednesday Nov. 17 on his way to Altoona where he has accepted a lucrative position.

Mr. Charles Shearer, formerly of this place, but now of Centre Hall, has established his business, that of blacksmith at the latter place.

Mrs. Lizzie Rothrock, of State College, left Friday afternoon for Minneapolis, Minn. where she will spend a few months visiting friends.

Miss Winafred Wolf, daughter of ex-county commissioner Wolf of Rebersburg, is visiting at the home of Mr. Thomas Morris on West High street.

W. L. Daggert, proprietor of the Bush House, returned recently from a pleasant visit to friends in the Northern part of the state.

Mrs. C E. Oberheim left Tuesday on a visit to relatives and friends at Bellefonte, Tyrone and Altoona, says the Lock Haven Democrat.

Dr. D. S. Monroe, presiding elder of the Altoona Methodist conference, preached two eloquent sermons in the Methodist church of this place Sunday.

Mr. Frank McCoy of Potters Mills, and Mr. A. D. Potts of Centre Hall, passed through Bellefonte Monday enroute for Williamsport.

C. B. Williams and wife and Miss Maude Campbell, of Bellefonte, registered at the City hotel Williamsport, last Saturday, says the Evening News of that city.

Miss Alice Nolan, of Bellefonte on her way to visit friends in Pittsburg, is spending a few days in Tyrone with her cousin Miss Ella Dolan says Monday's Tyrone *Herald*.

Mrs. Isaac Maitland, of Williamsport, is ill at the residence of her father, Daniel Garman. in this place with typhoid fever. Her little daughter is also housed up with tonsilitis.

Jacob Coble, of Lemont, was a pleasant caller at this office Thursday. Mr. Coble has been serving his country as a juryman for the past week. This was Mr. Coble's first experience at that kind of work and he says he likes it first rate

—Bellefonte Republican and New York Tribune one year for $1.50 in advance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman of Williamsport will spend Thanksgiving day with Mrs. Hoffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Spigelmyer.

Harry Bush, youngest son of Mrs. Louisa Bush returned home recently from a long trip to South America. He expects to start for the Klondyke by the way of Chilkoot-Pass sometime in February.

Hon. George W. English and wife, of New York city, arrived in Bellefonte Friday and will spend a few weeks at the home of Mr. Morris Furey. Mrs. Furey is a sister of Mr. English.

Miss Elizabeth Blanchard returned home Wednesday from Bryn Mawr college where she tutors, at that place and in Philadelphia. She was accompanied home by her brother Edward, who is attending school at Philadelphia.

Four Large Hogs.

John S. Holmes, of Jacksonville, killed four porkers last week that were monsters. One weighed 483 pounds, the second 462 pounds the third 437 pounds and the fourth 402 pounds, or 1,784 pounds in all.

A Narrow Escape.

On Thursday evening of last week, Mrs. Beaver, mother-in-law of W. I. Thompson, at Centre Furnace, was writing on a desk on which she had set a bracket lamp, unconsciously moved the lid of the desk forward upsetting the lamp and burning her hands severely. The family hearing the alarm rushed in and extinguished the flame without any trouble.

Fine Bicycle.

Wednesday Maurie Jackson, received one of the best Columbia bicycles that has ever been brought to Bellefonte. It is a 12-inch black enamelled frame, ink blue rimmed wheels, weighing about twenty pounds. It is eighty-four gear. Maurie wont do a thing but spin along.

Injured His Back.

Ex-Sheriff W. Miles Walker, of this place, met with quite a serious accident at Farrandsville last Friday night. In walking over the trestles of Monroe, Fredericks & Co., the night being very dark he fell through the trestles, injuring his back. Mr. Walker arrived home Saturday morning.

Marriage License.

The matrimonial market was very dull during the past week. Only two marriage licenses were issued by Register Rumberger. They were Ezra B. Keen, of Millheim, and Annie Long, of Coburn; Charles Eidell, of Snow Shoe, and Lulu E. Lucas, of Moshannon.

Share of School Appropriation.

Center county's share of the State appropriation, which should be sent to the 2,500 districts as soon as the superintendents' and directors' reports are received, is $48,088.08; Clinton county's share is $31,494.56; Clearfield, $74,187.04, and Elk's is $24,862.40.

Steam Thresher's Work.

W. S. White, of Axe Mann, near Bellefonte, with his engine and separator this season threshed 23,880 bushels of wheat, 24,365 bushels of oats, 919 bushels of rye, 560 bushels of barley, 51 bushels of buckwheat and 65 bushels of timothy. Meyers and Kurtz's cider press is also through for this season. It is reported that they pressed about 15,000 gallons.

Sold Oleomargarine for Butter.

Harry L. Curtin, one of the pure food inspectors, has been investigating around Williamsport for several days as to whether or not the pure food law was being violated. As a result of his investigations he learned that a few persons were selling oleomargarine for butter at market. This morning Elmer Dorman was arrested charged with the violation, and it is said more are to follow.

Clearfield's Proposed New Jail.

The Clearfield county commissioners expect to begin work on remodelling their jail about the first of the year. The interior will be cleared out. Steel cells will be put in so arranged that the corridor will be on the outside, Three tiers will be put in so that different grades of criminals can be kept separate. The work will begin about the first of the year and the prisoners will be removed to neighboring counties.

A Grand Entertainment.

Edward H. Frye appeared in Garman's opera house last Thurday evening in the second entertainment of the People's Popular Course. From the time he appeared on the stage until he ended his evening's entertainment he would either have the people laughing or crying. So we can truthfully, without any hesitancy, say, his impersonation of Joseph Jefferson, was produced to perfection.

Runaways.

Three boys, Ben Schrock, Jim Mayhew and Jim Weaver, ran away from their comfortable homes on Saturday morning and their parents know nothing of their whereabouts. Ben Schrock is the lad who ran away a few weeks ago and returned on Friday for more recruits.

None of them are over fifteen years of age. Jim Mayhew is a colored boy about ten years of age.

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ROCKING THE BOY TO SLEEP.

From the Telescope.

I sit me down in the twilight cool
  On a busy summer's day,
And close my eyes, and live again
  The time so far away
When Eddie and James and John were here
  And the tears to my eyes will creep,
For I seem to sit in the old brown chair
  A-rockin' the boys to sleep.

I bring John back from a home of wealth
  Where fame and honor dwell
And sing and rock him to sleep once more
  More happy than tongue can tell,
I have the storms on a shoreless sea,
  Where tempest and surges sweep,
And James is here and I rock again
  "My wandering boy" to sleep.

I build a stair to the heavens tall,
  And reach in its sweet domain
For little Eddie and bring him back
  To my lonely home again:
My throbbing heart is heavy now
  With a yearning strong and deep,
As I smooth the curls of my only babe
  And rock him once more to sleep.

They say the old chair is useless now
  'Tis creaking and dull with age
And must be forever put aside
  Like a well-learned, worn-out page.
But the old brown chair sings a song to me
  As it whispers of other years,
And it tells of the roughened places smoothed,
  And murmurs of childish tears.

Yes, the old chair tells in an undertone,
  In a voice so creeking and old,
Of the comfort it gave through summer's heat,
  As well as in winter's cold;
How those little dependent lives were soothed
  Through their childish sorrows deep
As it did its best to ease each pain
  While rocking the boys to sleep.

Safe Savings Banks.

The care with which the savings of the poor are safeguarded in Massachusetts is shown by the report of the commissioners of savings banks of that state. The commissioners express themselves against allowing savings banks to be established that have in mind any other object than that of furnishing a safe place of deposit for persons of small means.

This attitude of the Massachusetts savings bank commissioners is sufficient answer to the contentious put forth by the opponents of the postal savings bank system. If it be said that the government ought not to interfere with the business by which private individuals make profit, the answer is that in those parts of the country where savings facilities are most nearly adequate private individuals are not allowed to make profit from handling the savings of the poor. The savings banks of Massachusetts are purely benevolent institutions, managed by trustees who derive neither profit nor compensation from their connection with the institutions. No other kind of savings bank is allowed to do business in that state. If the states with the best savings banks have found it necessary absolutely to prohibit individuals from making a profit from handling the savings of the poor, surely it is no valid argument against postal savings banks to say that they would tend to interfere with the business of those who wish to make a profit from handling of such small savings.—Chicago Record.

Another Case of Fever Discovered.

PENSACOLA, Fla., November 21.—Another case of yellow fever has developed in the hospital ot Fort Barrancas. The patient is M. J. Wright, a private in the First artillery, and it is supposed that he contracted the disease from the soldier Kreig who died in the hospital Thursday. The soldiers of the garrison have all been moved out of the barracks into a camp a mile away. No other cases have developed in this city. An inspection of every house in the city was completed last night and not a case of suspicious sickness was discovered.

They Found the Money.

A few nights ago Night Yardmaster Hull, at Tyrone, received a message that a passenger on St. Louis express had lost a pocketbook containing $118 between Union Furnace and Birmingham. Mr. Hull, with the members of the shifting crew, immediately went on a voyage of discovery and succeeded in finding every cent of the lost money, which consisted of bills, scattered promiscuously along the tracks.

Slavery God's Instrument.

DANVILLE, Va., Nov. 18.—Bishop L. H. Halsey of the African Methodist Episcopal church addressed the Virginia conference of the Methodist Episcopal church (South) to-day by invitation. In the course of his remarks, he declared that the institution of slavery was an instrument in the hands of God for the spread of the Gospel, and it is the mission of the southern negro, who has been civilized and Christianized through slavery, to Christianize the fatherland.